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HUBLI ELECTRICITY COMPANY LIMITED. P.O. BOX NO. 23. HUBLI.

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Conditions and Miscellaneous Charges for the Supply of Energy

PART I

CONDITIONS OF SUPPLY

1. *Application for supply.*—(1) An application for the supply of energy shall be made to the licensee in the form of a requisition attached hereto (Annexure A), of which copies are obtainable from the licensee. The requisition shall be signed by the owner or occupier of the premises for which the supply is required. Any assistance or information required in filling up the form will be given to the applicant at the office of the licensee.

(2) If the supply is required for motors the applicant shall state (1) the purpose for which the motors are required, (2) the full load and shall also specify the amount of the current in amperes of each motor and (3) B.H.P. of each motor at full load which may be required for each motor.

(3) A requisition under clause V (4) of the Schedule to the Indian Electricity Act, 1910, requiring the licensee to provide distributing mains throughout a street or part thereof shall be in the form of Annexure C attached hereto.

2. *Service Lines.*—The licensee shall lay free of charge 100 feet of service line from his nearest distributing main outside the limits of the property in respect of which the requisition is made. Any length in excess of 100 feet, as defined above and the whole of the service line within the limits of the property in respect of which the application is made shall be paid for by the applicant.

3. *Notice for fixing the position of service.*—Upon receipt of a requisition, notice shall be sent to the consumer or to the wiring contractor acting on the consumer's behalf for his representative to meet the Licensee's ~~engineer~~ representative for the purpose of inspecting the premises and fixing the point of entry of the supply mains and the position of the mains, cut-outs and meters.

4. *Quotations, etc., for laying service lines.*—The position for the service having been agreed upon as provided in condition 3 above, the licensee shall thereafter submit to the applicant a quotation of the estimate of the cost of carrying out the work. The quotation having been accepted, the applicant shall be required to deposit the amount of the estimate with the licensee before the service is laid. The deposit having been duly paid, orders shall be issued for the work to be put in hand and the amount so deposited shall be subsequently adjusted, if necessary, on completion of the figures of the actual cost of the service line. Other conditions being equal, service lines shall as far as possible be laid in the order of the dates of receipt of the deposit money.

Note.—The service line, notwithstanding that a portion of the cost has been paid for by the consumer, shall remain the property of the licensee by whom it is to be maintained.

5. *Wiring on consumer's premises.*—For the protection of the consumer and the public generally, it is necessary that the wiring on the consumer's premises should conform to the Indian Electricity Rules, 1927 and the rules of the Fire Insurance Company in terms of which the building is insured and be carried out by a licensed electrical contractor. As soon as the consumer's installation is completed in all respects and tested by the consumer's contractor, the consumer should submit to the licensee the wiring contractor's "completion and test report." A form for this purpose shall be supplied by the licensee. It is important that the conditions named therein are fully complied with, as otherwise there will be a delay in obtaining the supply.

As required by rule ~~40-A~~ 48 of the Indian Electricity Rules, ~~1922~~ 1937, no electrical installation work (including additions, alterations, repairs and adjustments to existing installations), except such replacement of lamps, fans, fuses, switches and other component parts of the installation as in no way alters the capacity and character of the installation, shall be carried out upon the premises on behalf of any consumer or owner for the purposes of supply of energy to such consumer or owner, except by an electrical contractor licensed by Government in this behalf and under the direct supervision of a person holding a certificate of competency issued by Government. Any person committing a breach of rule ~~40-A~~ shall render himself liable to punishment under rule ~~106-A~~ 123 of the said Rules. 48

6. *Inspection and testing of installation by the licensee.*—(*a*) Upon receipt of the test report the licensee shall notify to the consumer the time and the day when the licensee's representative proposes to inspect and test the installation. It will then be the duty of the consumer to arrange that a representative of the wiring contractor employed by him is present at the inspection to give the licensee or his representative any information required by him concerning the installation.

(*b*) No connection shall be made until the consumer's installation has been inspected and tested by the licensee and found satisfactory. No charge shall be made for the first test by the licensee, but subsequent inspection and/or tests due to faults or incomplete work found at the initial test shall be charged for in accordance with Part II of these conditions.

(*c*) Before taking the insulation test of the installation the wiring must be complete in every respect. All fittings such as lamps, fans, cookers, motors, etc., must be connected up, fuses inserted and all switches switched in the " on " position before the tests are carried out. Temporary wires or fittings or dead ends should not be included in the installation and no part of the work should be left incomplete.

(*d*) The insulation resistance of the entire installation to earth shall be tested ~~from the installation side of~~ at the consumer's mains, vide General wiring conditions 16(a) Prior to same being connected to the licensee's terminals.

(*e*) The licensee shall not connect the conductors and fittings on the consumer's premises with his works, unless he is reasonably satisfied that the connection will not at the time of making the connection cause a leakage from those conductors and fittings exceeding one five thousandth part of the maximum supply demanded on the consumer's premises.

7. *Extensions and alterations.*—Should the consumer at any time after the supply of energy has been commenced, desire to increase the number or size of lights, fans, motors, etc., on his premises, or in any way to alter the position of his wiring therein, notice thereof shall be sent in writing together with the wiring contractor's completion and Test report to the licensee whose representative will call and inspect the alteration and, if necessary, change the meters and fuses and alter the service line. Failure to give such notice may derange the supply system and will render the supply liable to be summarily discontinued.

8. *Failure of supply.*—Should at any time the licensee's service fuse or fuses fail, notice thereof should be sent to the licensee's office or if there are sub-stations, to the nearest sub-station having an authorised Licensee's fuseman. Only authorised employees bearing the badge of the licensee are permitted to replace these fuses in the licensee's cut-outs. Consumers are not allowed to replace these fuses and they will render themselves liable to a heavy penalty if the licensee's seals placed to protect his apparatus are broken. The licensee does not allow his employees to carry out repairs to the consumer's installation. If the failure of supply is due to any cause other than a fault in the licensee's apparatus, the consumer will be charged a fee of Re. 1 for the attendance of the fuseman in accordance with Part II of these conditions.

9. *Access to premises and apparatus.*—~~The licensee's servants~~ Employees duly authorised by the licensee are entitled at all reasonable times to enter upon the premises to which energy is supplied for the

purpose of reading the meters and for other purposes connected with the apparatus belonging to the licensee.

10. *Accuracy of meters.*—Should the consumer dispute the accuracy of any meter which is not his own property, he may, upon giving notice and paying the prescribed fee, have the meter tested by the licensee or the Electric Inspector, Bombay, in accordance with section 26 of the Indian Electricity Act, 1910. In the event of the meter being tested by the licensee and found to be beyond the limits of accuracy as prescribed, the testing fee shall be returned and the amount of the bill adjusted in accordance with the result of the test taken with respect to the meter readings of the three months prior to the month in which the dispute has arisen, due regard being paid to conditions of occupancy during the month under dispute and during the previous three months. In the event of the test being undertaken by the Electric Inspector, Bombay, and the meter being found to be incorrect, the period during which the meter shall be deemed to have been incorrect, and the amount of energy supplied to the consumer during this period shall be decided by the Electric Inspector, Bombay, whose decision shall be final.

The licensee may remove the meter for the purpose of testing it in his laboratory.

11. *Deposits.*—The consumer may be required by the licensee to enter into a contract in the form of Annexure B hereto appended or make a declaration in lieu of the written contract on one rupee stamp and to make a cash deposit or to give security in Government Promissory Notes or other approved securities for the payment of his monthly bills for energy supplied and for the value of the meter and other apparatus installed on his premises. In the event of no contract having been entered into between the licensee and the consumer, the latter after the supply of energy has once commenced, shall be bound by the terms and conditions of supply herein set forth.

The licensee is prepared to allow interest as follows upon deposits lodged with him against (*a*) regular payment of energy bills (*b*) a reasonable return under clause V and/or VI of the Schedule to the Indian Electricity Act, 1910. In both the above cases deposits must be made in cash if the sum deposited is below Rs. 100 and in cash or Government securities if the sum is Rs. 100 or exceeds that amount. No interest shall be allowed upon deposits below Rs. 50.

On deposits of Rs. 50 or more which may be made in cash, interest shall be allowed at the rate of 2 per centum per annum.

On deposits made in Government securities the interest accruing thereon will be collected periodically and passed on to the depositor less 2 per cent. which will be retained by the licensee to cover the cost of collection, etc. When Government securities are deposited the amount of the deposit shall be calculated at the current market value of the said securities and not upon their face value. No interest shall be allowed on deposits lodged against the cost of service lines, as the account is only of a temporary nature.

12. *Notice of removal.*—Consumers about to vacate or sublet their premises shall give to the licensee a full seven days' notice in writing as to whether the premises should be disconnected or only the meters should be read and the bills submitted ; otherwise, the licensee cannot guarantee that the meter readings will be taken on the required date. Failing such notice, the consumer will be held responsible for all energy consumed on the premises until the expiration of 24 hours from the day on which notice of removal in writing has been received at the office of the licensee.

13. *Payment of bills.*—(1) Bills should be paid at the licensee's office within 7 days from the date of their presentation.

(2) Any complaints with regard to the accuracy of the bills shall be made in writing to the licensee and the amounts of such bills shall be paid *under protest* within the said period of 7 days. The amounts of bills paid under protest will be regarded as advances to the credit of the consumer's account until such time as the bills in dispute have been finally settled.

(3) If the consumer fails to pay any bill presented to him within the said period of 7 days, the licensee shall be at liberty to take action under sub-section (1) of section 24 of the Indian Electricity Act, 1910, and to cut-off the supply after giving such consumer not less than 7 days' clear notice in writing without prejudice to his right to recover the amount of the bill by suit. Where, however, any difference or dispute has been referred under the Act to an Electric Inspector before notice as aforesaid has been given by the licensee, the licensee shall not be at liberty to cut-off the supply for failure to pay the bill except where the licensee has made a request in writing to the consumer that the amount in dispute should be deposited with the Electric Inspector and the consumer has failed to comply with such request.

14. *System of supply.*—Supply of energy shall be given from medium pressure distributing mains on the—

(*a*) Three phase four-wire Alternating Current system, 50 cycles, 400 volts between phases or 230 volts between each phase and neutral wires.

~~(*b*) Three-wire Direct Current system, 460 volts between outers or 230 volts between each outer and neutral wire.~~

15. *Classification of Installations :—*

A. C. SYSTEM.

(*a*) 2 wire single phase, 230 volts—

1. General supply not exceeding 10 amperes.
2. Motive power installations below 1 B.H.P. in the aggregate.

(*b*) 3 wire, two phase, 230 volts between phase wires and neutral—

General supply exceeding 10 amperes but not exceeding 20 amperes.

(*c*) 4 wire, three phase, 230 volts between phase wires and neutral—

General supply exceeding 20 amperes.

(*d*) 3 wire, 3 phase, 400 volts between phases—

Motive power installations of 1 B.H.P. in the aggregate and over.

~~H.—D.-C. SYSTEM:~~

~~(*a*) 2 wire, 230 volts—~~

~~1. General supply not exceeding 10 amperes.~~

~~2. Motive power installations up to 1 B.H.P. in the aggregate.~~

~~(*b*) 3 wire, 230 volts between outer wire and neutral—~~

~~General supply exceeding 10 amperes.~~

~~(*c*) 2 wire, 460 volts between outers—~~

~~Motive power installations of over 1 B.H.P. in the aggregate.~~

16. *General Wiring Conditions*—(*a*) *Mains.*—The consumer's mains shall in all cases be brought back to the licensee's point of supply and sufficient cable shall be provided for connecting up with the licensee's apparatus.

(*b*) *Switches and Fuses.*—The consumer shall provide linked quick break main switches and ~~a single pole fuse on each pole, which shall be fixed as near as possible to the licensee's meter board~~. fuses in accordance with rule 57 of the Indian Electricity Rules 1937. Single pole switches controlling lamps or fans or other apparatus shall be inserted in the line wire and not in the neutral wire

(*c*) *Balance of Installation.*—If the connected load of any installation exceeds 10 amperes at 230 volts, the installation shall be wired on the group system, separate neutral wires being brought back in each case to the licensee's point of supply. An approved form of linked switch (single pole) with two single pole fuses shall control each main circuit. The lamps, fans or any other apparatus of which the installation consists shall be so grouped that under normal working conditions the current will be balanced and no current will be flowing in the neutral wire.

(*d*) *Medium Pressure Supply.*—With medium pressure supply, i.e., 250 volts to 650 volts, the licensee's meter and service cut-outs shall be enclosed in a strong teakwood box suitably ventilated and provided with a hasp, staple and lock. All wires between which a difference of potential of 250 volts or over exists shall be made inaccessible to unauthorised persons or enclosed in an earthed metallic casing or conduit. A " Caution " Board printed in English and in the Vernacular shall be fixed thereto.

(*e*) *Aerial Mains.*—In order to save the expense of a long underground service on private property, a consumer may, with the licensee's approval, suitable dry and ventilated with provisions for locking erect a pillar on that portion of his property which is nearest to the licensee's supply mains into which the service shall be laid and from which the consumer shall run overhead mains to his premises. These overhead mains shall constitute a portion of his installation and shall be laid in compliance with the Indian Electricity Rules, ~~1922~~ 1937. An efficient choking coil and lightning arrester may be fixed at the commencement of the overhead line at the consumer's cost should he desire the same, as an additional protection for his installation.

(*f*) *Earthing.*—Gas pipes shall on no account be used for earthing purposes. All wiring shall be kept as far as possible from gas and water pipes.

(*g*) *Domestic Heating and Cooking.*—A special circuit for ~~heating and cooking~~ The use of domestic appliances which will be approved by the licensee shall be run from the licensee's point of supply. Wall plugs used on these circuits concentric plugs may also be allowed but shall be of the three pin type, the third pin being an earth connection. Two pin plugs or lighting sockets shall not be allowed.

(*h*) *Plugs.*—All plugs shall be switched on the live wire and not on the neutral.

(*i*) *Wiring.*—Single leads shall not be allowed to be run separately in iron conduit.

(*j*) (*f*) *A. C. Motor Installation.*—Motors shall be provided with control gear so as to prevent satisfactorily the maximum current demand from the consumer's installation exceeding the limits given in the following schedule at any time under all possible conditions. Failure to comply with these regulations will render the consumer liable to disconnection from the supply on account of interference with the supply to other consumers :—

Nature of supply.	Size of installation.	Limit of maximum current demanded.
Single Phase ..	Up to and including 1 B.H.P.	Six times full load current.
Three Phase ..	Above 1 B.H.P. and up to and including 10 B.H.P.	Three times full load current.
	Above 10 B.H.P. and up to and including 15 B.H.P.	Twice full load current.
	Above 15 B.H.P. ..	One and a half time full load current.

Three phase
Motor circuits shall be controlled by a triple pole switch protected by a no-volt release and T. P. fuses (or overload releases). It is important that the release should be maintained in thorough working order. Wiring for motors shall be run with all three phase wires bunched in a single metallic conduit, which shall be efficiently earthed throughout and connected to the frame of the motor from which two separate earth wires shall be run. The minimum size of the earth wire permitted is No. 10 or 2/14 S.W.G. All motors shall comply in every respect with the Indian Electricity Rules, ~~1922.~~ 1937

Motors ~~of~~ above 1 B.H.P. ~~and above~~ shall be wound for 3 phase, 400 volts between phases.

(2) ~~*D. C. Motor Installations.*~~—Motors shall be provided with control gear so as to prevent satisfactorily an excessive current demand from the consumer's installation. Failure to comply with these regulations will render the consumer liable to disconnection from the supply on account of interference with the supply to other consumers.

~~Motor circuits shall be controlled by a double pole switch protected by a no-volts release and D. P. fuses (or overload releases). It is important that the release be maintained in thorough working order. Wiring for motors shall be run with both the wires bunched in a single metallic conduit, which must be efficiently earthed throughout and connected to the frame of the motor from which two separate earth wires shall be run. The minimum size of the earth wire permitted is No. 10 or 2/14 S.W.G. All motors shall comply in every respect with the Indian Electricity Rules, 1922.~~

~~Motors above 1 B.H.P. shall be wound for 460 volts.~~

(*k*) *Power Factor of Apparatus.*—The apparatus shall have a power factor of not less than 80 per cent. at normal working loads.

17. *Saving of Rights of Licensee and Consumers.*—Nothing in these conditions shall abridge or prejudice the rights or remedies of the licensee and the consumer under the license, the Indian Electricity Act, 1910, or the Indian Electricity Rules, ~~1922.~~ 1937

For The Hubli Electricity Co. Ltd.

MANAGING AGENTS.

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ANNEXURE " A"

FORM OF REQUISITION FOR SUPPLY OF ENERGY UNDER CLAUSE VI (5) OF THE SCHEDULE TO THE INDIAN ELECTRICITY ACT, 1910.

Note.—Intending consumers are requested to see that this form is fully and clearly filled in and signed.

To

THE HUBLI ELECTRICITY COMPANY LTD.

Hubli

(~~name of licensee~~)

I/We hereby require you, in accordance with clause VI of the Schedule to the Indian Electricity Act, 1910, within one month or within such longer period as the Electric Inspector may allow, from the date of this requisition, to supply energy for the premises owned/occupied by me/us, and situate within the area of supply specified in the Hubli Electric — — Licence, 1924, for the following :—

Incandescent Lamps.		Punkhas.		Plugs, Heaters, etc.		Motors.		Total Demand.
No.	Wattage each.	No.	Wattage each.	No.	Wattage each.	No.	B.H.P. each	K.W.

Applicant's full Name

Designation

Class of Premises House No.

Road Locality

This requisition is for—

(1) A New Service.

The landlord has agreed to my taking the supply of energy and his written authority is enclosed herewith.

(2) A Tapping.

The name and address of the consumer for whom the service was originally laid is

His Service No. is

The landlord has agreed to my taking the supply of energy and his written authority is enclosed herewith.

(3) An extension to my existing installation from Service No.

(4) A re-connection.

The previous consumer's name is

and his Service No. is

(5) A change of name from . Service No.

The wiring will be carried out by :—

Name Address

Applicant's signature

Present address
Permanent address

Date

Note—

1. The applicant is requested to complete the clause referring to this requisition and to strike out the clauses which are inapplicable.

2. Under clause VI (I) 1st proviso of the Schedule to the Indian Electricity Act, 1910, the licensee shall not be bound to comply with any such requisition unless and until the person making it—

(*a*) within fourteen days after the service on him by the licensee of a notice in writing in this behalf, tenders to the licensee a written contract in the form approved by the Local Government duly executed and with sufficient security binding himself to take the supply of energy for not less than two years to such amount as will produce at current rates charged by the licensee, a reasonable return to the licensee ; and

(*b*) if required by the licensee so to do, pays to the licensee the cost of so much of any service line as may be laid down or placed for the purposes of the supply upon the property in respect of which the requisition is made, and of so much of any service line as it may be necessary for the said purposes to lay down or place beyond one hundred feet from the licensee's distributing mains, although not on that property.

3. No connection will be given to any consumer whose installation has not been carried out by a licensed electrical contractor and under the direct supervision of a Competency Certificate holder [*vide* Government Notification (Public Works Department) No. 640/27-I, dated 15th November 1934].

4. In lieu of the contract referred to in Note 2 (*a*) above, the licensee is prepared to accept a declaration in the following form, subject to deposit of any required securities by the applicant :—

Declaration.

I/We hereby declare that I/We desire to have and agree with the licensee to take a supply of energy for the abovementioned purposes for a period of not less than two years from the date of commencement of the supply and to be bound by the provisions of clause VI of the Schedule to the Indian Electricity Act, 1910, and by the licensee's charges, rates and conditions of supply as from time to time in force.

One rupee stamp.

Applicant's signature.

For The Hubli Electricity Co. Ltd.

MANAGING AGENTS.

6/8/41

ANNEXURE " B "

AN AGREEMENT made this day of One thousand nine hundred and ~~thirty~~ between The Hubli Electricity Company Ltd a company registered under the Indian Companies Act and having its registered office at Hubli (hereinafter referred to as the " Licensee ", which expression shall, unless excluded by or repugnant to the context, be deemed to include ~~his~~ its successors and permitted assigns) of the one part and (hereinafter referred to as " the consumer ", which expression shall unless excluded by or repugnant to the context include his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns) of the other part.

WHEREAS the licensee has agreed to supply and the consumer has agreed to take energy at the premises mentioned in the schedule hereto (hereinafter referred to as " the said premises "), subject to the terms and conditions hereinafter contained.

Now it is hereby agreed by and between the parties hereto as follows :—

1. The licensee shall from the day of 19 , and during the continuance of this agreement, supply the consumer with the energy required by him for the purpose and up to the maximum quantity specified in the schedule hereto.

2. The consumer shall pay to the Licensee on demand the cost of so much of any electric supply line as may be laid for the purpose of the supply upon the said premises, and of so much of any electric supply line as it may be necessary to lay for the said purposes in excess of 100 feet from the Licensee's distributing main, although not on the said premises.

3. The supply shall be registered by a meter or meters in or upon the said premises which the licensee shall provide and keep in order and replace whenever necessary on payment of a monthly rental ~~of annas eight or rupee one per meter according to the nature of the meter~~ in force from time to time. The consumer shall be at liberty at any time to purchase another meter or meters and from and after the purchase thereof the consumer shall be responsible for keeping the same in proper order.

4. The consumer shall pay to the licensee for the energy so supplied and registered as aforesaid at the rates from time to time in force and paid by similar consumers ; Provided nevertheless that if at the end of twelve calendar months calculated from the first day of the month following that in which the supply was first commenced and at the end of each subsequent period of twelve calendar months during which this Agreement is in force, the registered consumption of energy shall fall short of the value of Rs. being the equivalent of such guaranteed minimum consumption as is specified in the Schedule hereto, the consumer shall pay to the Licensee the difference between the registered consumption and the guaranteed minimum consumption at the rate per Board of Trade unit applicable thereto ; Provided further that in the event of a minimum consumption not being guaranteed the consumer shall pay to the Licensee for each calendar month during which this Agreement is in force a sum which shall not be less than the Licensee's prescribed minimum monthly charge.

5. Readings of the meter or meters shall be taken by the Licensee once in each month or at such other intervals or times as the Licensee shall deem expedient and the Licensee's meter readers shall have access to the consumer's premises at all reasonable times for the purpose of taking such readings. Payment for energy supplied shall be made by the consumer according to the readings of each meter forthwith upon presentation of a bill therefor.

6. Should the consumer dispute the accuracy of any meter not being his own property, the consumer may upon giving notice and paying the prescribed fee, have the meter officially tested by the licensee or the Electric Inspector, Bombay, in

accordance with section 26 of the Indian Electricity Act, 1910. In the event of the meter being tested by the licensee and found to be beyond the limits of accuracy as prescribed, the testing fee will be returned and the amount adjusted in accordance with the result of the test taken in respect of the meter readings of the three months prior to the month in which the dispute has arisen due regard being paid to conditions of occupancy during the month under dispute and during the previous three months. In the event of the test being undertaken by the Electric Inspector, Bombay, and the meter being found to be incorrect, the period during which the meter shall be deemed to have been incorrect, and the amount of energy supplied to the consumer during this period shall be decided by the Electric Inspector, Bombay.

7. The consumer shall, on receipt of a requisition from the Licensee in this behalf deposit with him the sum of Rs. as security for the purpose next hereinafter mentioned, and shall on a like requisition from time to time renew or replenish such security in the event of the same becoming exhausted or insufficient. The Licensee shall be at liberty at any time and from time to time to appropriate and apply any security so deposited as aforesaid in or towards the payment or satisfaction of all or any moneys which shall become due or owing by the consumer to the Licensee in respect of the supply of energy or otherwise under this Agreement but the provisions in this clause contained shall not prejudice any other remedy to which the licensee may be entitled for the recovery of any such moneys. Interest on such deposits shall be paid to the consumer in accordance with the terms laid down in the Licensee's conditions for the supply of energy.

8. This agreement shall be in force for a period of not less than two years in the first instance from the date of commencement of the supply specified in clause 1 and thereafter shall continue from year to year until the agreement is determined as hereinafter provided.

9. The consumer shall not be at liberty save with the consent of the Licensee to determine this Agreement before the expiration of two years from the date of commencement of the supply of energy hereunder. The consumer may determine this Agreement at any time after the said period on giving to the Licensee not less than one calendar month's previous notice in writing in that behalf and upon the expiration of the period of such notice this Agreement shall cease and determine without prejudice to any right which may then have accrued to the Licensee hereunder ; Provided always that the consumer may at any time with the previous consent of the Licensee transfer this Agreement to any other person and upon subscription of such transfer this Agreement shall be binding on the transferee and the Licensee and take effect in all respects as if the transferee had originally been a party hereto in place of the consumer who shall thenceforth be discharged from all liability under or in respect hereof.

10. This Agreement shall be read and construed as subject in all respects to the provisions of the Hubli Electric license, 1924 and to the provisions of the Indian Electricity Act, 1910, and the Rules for the time being in force thereunder as far as the same may respectively be applicable.

The supply of energy under this Agreement is also subject to the following among other provisions of law, namely :—

(i) If the consumer fails within seven days after the date of the service thereof upon him to comply with the terms of any notice in writing by the Licensee requiring him to give security for the purposes mentioned in clause 7. hereof or to renew or replenish any security which may have been given for these purposes but which may have become exhausted or insufficient, the licensee may discontinue the supply so long such failure continues.

(ii) If the consumer adopts any form of lamp or burner or uses the energy supplied or deals with it in any manner so as unduly or improperly to interfere with the efficient supply of energy to any other person by the Licensee, or fails to keep in proper order any meter belonging to him by which the supply is registered, the Licensee may discontinue the supply so long as such lamp or burner is so adapted or the energy is so used or dealt with or the meter is not kept in proper order, as the case may be.

(iii) The Licensee shall not be bound to give or continue the supply if an Electric Inspector or other competent person appointed by the Local Government is satisfied that the electric lines, fittings, works or any other apparatus within the said premises are not in good order and condition and are likely to affect injuriously the use of energy by the Licensee or by other persons. Nor will the Licensee be responsible for any interruption or dimunition in the supply of energy due to occurrences beyond his control.

(iv) If the consumer makes any alterations or additions to any electric wires, fittings, works or apparatus belonging to him within the said premises, all such alterations and additions shall be notified to the Licensee by the consumer before being connected to the source of supply with a view to their being examined and tested.

THE SCHEDULE REFERRED TO ABOVE

1. Description of the premises.
2. Purposes for which supply is to be given.
3. Maximum quantity of energy required by the consumer.
4. Value of guaranteed consumption for each period of twelve calendar months, commencing from the day of 193

IN WITNESS whereof for and on behalf of the Licensee has/have set his/their hand/hands ~~and the seal of the Licensee~~ Hereunto and the Consumer has set his hand hereunto the day and year first above written.

SIGNED, ~~sealed~~ and delivered ~~by~~ For The Hubli Electricity Co Ltd

for and on behalf of the Licensee.
witness

SIGNED and delivered by

the Consumer.
witness

For The Hubli Electricity Co Ltd.

MANAGING AGENTS.

6/8/41

ANNEXURE " C ".

Form of Requisition under clause V (4) of the Schedule to the Indian Electricity Act, 1910.

(In the case of six or more owners or occupiers).

To THE HUBLI ELECTRICITY COMPANY LTD.
HUBLI
(Name of licensee).

We, the undersigned, being owners or occupiers of the premises situated in or upon Street in the town of Hubli within the " Area of Supply " specified in the Hubli Electric License 1921* do hereby require you in pursuance of Clause V of the Schedule to the Indian Electricity Act, 1910, to provide within six months from the date of this requisition, distributing mains through the said streets.

Dated at Hubli

the day of 19 .

For The Hubli Electricity Co. Ltd.

MANAGING AGENTS.

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PART II.

Service and Miscellaneous Charges.

Charges for service line.—One hundred feet of service line from the distributing main, but not on the property for which a requisition for the supply of energy is received, shall be laid free of charge. The charges for the rest of the service line shall be recovered at the actual cost *plus* fifteen per centum to cover overhead charges.

Miscellaneous charges.

	Rs. a. p.
1. Connection fee—	
(*a*) Connection fee for every new installation to the supply mains, including the fixing of meters	6 0 0
(*b*) If two or more new connections are simultaneously made from the same service, the fee for each additional connection after the first shall be	3 0 0
2. Reconnection fee for an installation which is disconnected on account of—	
(*a*) Vacation of premises or	1 0 0
(*b*) non-payment of accounts or infringement of the conditions of supply	2 0 0

Note.—If, owing to the staff of the Licensee being unable to obtain access to the meter, the disconnection has to be made from the mains, either underground or overhead, the consumer shall have to pay all the costs incidental to such disconnection and reconnection.

	Rs. a. p.	
3. *Meters*—		
(*a*) Hire of a D.C. meter or single phase A.C. meter, per mensem	0 8 0	per meter.
Hire of a D.C. meter for a 3 wire service or polyphase A.C. meter per mensem	1 0 0	
(*b*) Changing meter for one of a different size when necessitated by a change in the consumer's demand	2 0 0	
(*c*) Changing the position of the meter board only and when no alteration in service is required, the necessary alteration in wiring being carried out by the consumer through a licensed electrical contractor ..	3 0 0	
(*d*) Charge for attendance of a fuseman ..	1 0 0	
(*e*) Charge for the supply and fixing of an additional meter board	3 0 0	
(*f*) Charges for attendance of fusemen at consumer's premises during any function per night ..	3 0 0	
4. *Testing*—		
(*a*) *Installations.*—The test and inspection prior to connection of a new installation shall be carried out free of charge, but should any further test and/or inspection be found necessary owing to any fault in the installation or to non-compliance with the conditions of supply the charge for each additional test shall be	5 0 0	

under section 26 of the E.T. Act 1910 Rs. a. p.

(*b*) *Testing of meters.*—In the case of a disputed meter no charge shall be made for testing it, should the meter prove to be ~~more than~~ outside the limits of error allowed under rule 32 of the E.T. Rules 1937. ~~three per centum fast or slow,~~ otherwise the charge for testing it shall be .. 5 ~~3~~ 0 0 per meter.

(*c*) The Licensee shall undertake to test and calibrate House service meters, which are the property of the consumer on payment of a charge of 10 ~~3~~ 0 0 per meter.

Note.—The Licensee shall not accept any responsibility whatsoever for the satisfactory and correct running of the consumer's meter after the owner has taken delivery thereof subsequent to the test.

5. *Failure of supply.*—For restoring connection in cases in which the failure of supply is due to any cause other than a fault in the Licensee's apparatus .. 1 0 0

6. *Security deposits against payment of monthly bills.*—When required by the Licensee to do so, the consumer shall deposit security as under—

(1) for lights and fans per every 0·5 K.W. or less applied for .. 5 0 0

(2) for motive power per B.H.P. installed .. .. ~~15~~ 10 0 0

7. *Supply of energy for a temporary period, not covered by clause VI of the Schedule to the Indian Electricity Act,* 1910—

1. *For Lights, Fans, etc.*— *Maximum rates*

(*a*) *Metered supply* .. As. 8 per unit with a minimum of Rs. 3 per month or part of a month.

(*b*) *Unmetered supply* .. Rs. ~~4-8-0~~ 6-0-0 per K.W. or part thereof of maximum demand per night of .. 12 hours.

Rs. ~~2-4-0~~ 3-0-0 per K.W. or part thereof of maximum demand per night of .. 6 hours.

The above charges for energy shall be exclusive of the connection and disconnection fee of Rs 8/-

2. *For Power*—

(*a*) *Metered supply* .. As. 4 per unit with a minimum of Rs. 3 per K.W. of demand per month or part of a month.

(*b*) *Unmetered supply* .. Rs. ~~2-4-0~~ 3-0-0 per K.W. or part thereof per day (restricted to 12 hours day supply only).

Rs. 4-8-0 per K.W. or part thereof per day for 12 hours night supply.

The above charges for energy shall be exclusive of the connection & Disconnection fee of Rs 15/-

3. *Service.*—The actual cost of the service (labour and materials *plus* 15 per cent. for supervision) shall be recovered from the consumer. When the service is removed, the labour cost of dismantling shall be charged to the consumer, who will be allowed a credit for all materials returned at the actual cost less 25 per cent. depreciation for the first month or part thereof, and 3¼ per cent. for each subsequent month.

Note.—The Licensee is by no means bound to charge the maximum.

All charges are payable in advance.

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G.C.P.—(J) R 49—500—6-36—A2*
G.R., P.W.D., No. 9872/27 dated 5-5-36

HUBLI ELECTRICITY COMPANY, LIMITED. PO. BOX NO. 23. HUBLI.

HUBLI ELECTRIC LICENCE, 1924.

Conditions and Miscellaneous Charges for the Supply of Energy

PART I

CONDITIONS OF SUPPLY

1. *Application for supply.*—(1) An application for the supply of energy shall be made to the licensee in the form of a requisition attached hereto (Annexure A), of which copies are obtainable from the licensee. The requisition shall be signed by the owner or occupier of the premises for which the supply is required. Any assistance or information required in filling up the form will be given to the applicant at the office of the licensee.

(2) If the supply is required for motors the applicant shall state (1) the purpose for which the motors are required, (2) the full load of each motor and (3) B.H.P. ~~and shall also specify the amount of the~~ current in amperes ~~at full load which may be required for~~ each motor.

(3) A requisition under clause V (4) of the Schedule to the Indian Electricity Act, 1910, requiring the licensee to provide distributing mains throughout a street or part thereof shall be in the form of Annexure C attached hereto.

2. *Service Lines.*—The licensee shall lay free of charge 100 feet of service line from his nearest distributing main outside the limits of the property in respect of which the requisition is made. Any length in excess of 100 feet, as defined above and the whole of the service line within the limits of the property in respect of which the application is made shall be paid for by the applicant.

3. *Notice for fixing the position of service.*—Upon receipt of a requisition, notice shall be sent to the consumer or to the wiring contractor acting on the consumer's behalf for his representative to meet the Licensee's ~~engineer~~ Representative for the purpose of inspecting the premises and fixing the point of entry of the supply mains and the position of the mains, cut-outs and meters.

4. *Quotations, etc., for laying service lines.*—The position for the service having been agreed upon as provided in condition 3 above, the licensee shall thereafter submit to the applicant a quotation of the estimate of the cost of carrying out the work. The quotation having been accepted, the applicant shall be required to deposit the amount of the estimate with the licensee before the service is laid. The deposit having been duly paid, orders shall be issued for the work to be put in hand and the amount so deposited shall be subsequently adjusted, if necessary, on completion of the figures of the actual cost of the service line. Other conditions being equal, service lines shall as far as possible be laid in the order of the dates of receipt of the deposit money.

Note.—The service line, notwithstanding that a portion of the cost has been paid for by the consumer, shall remain the property of the licensee by whom it is to be maintained.

5. *Wiring on consumer's premises.*—For the protection of the consumer and the public generally, it is necessary that the wiring on the consumer's premises should conform to the Indian Electricity Rules, 1927 and the rules of the Fire Insurance Company in terms of which the building is insured and be carried out by a licensed electrical contractor. As soon as the consumer's installation is completed in all respects and tested by the consumer's contractor, the consumer should submit to the licensee the wiring contractor's "completion and test report." A form for this purpose shall be supplied by the licensee. It is important that the conditions named therein are fully complied with, as otherwise there will be a delay in obtaining the supply.

As required by rule ~~40-A~~ 48 of the Indian Electricity Rules, ~~1922~~ 1937, no electrical installation work (including additions, alterations, repairs and adjustments to existing installations), except such replacement of lamps, fans, fuses, switches and other component parts of the installation as in no way alters the capacity and character of the installation, shall be carried out upon the premises on behalf of any consumer or owner for the purposes of supply of energy to such consumer or owner, except by an electrical contractor licensed by Government in this behalf and under the direct supervision of a person holding a certificate of competency issued by Government. Any person committing a breach of rule ~~40-A~~ 48 shall render himself liable to punishment under rule ~~106-A~~ 123 of the said Rules.

6. *Inspection and testing of installation by the licensee.*—(*a*) Upon receipt of the test report the licensee shall notify to the consumer the time and the day when the licensee's representative proposes to inspect and test the installation. It will then be the duty of the consumer to arrange that a representative of the wiring contractor employed by him is present at the inspection to give the licensee or his representative any information required by him concerning the installation.

(*b*) No connection shall be made until the consumer's installation has been inspected and tested by the licensee and found satisfactory. No charge shall be made for the first test by the licensee, but subsequent inspection and/or tests due to faults or incomplete work found at the initial test shall be charged for in accordance with Part II of these conditions.

(*c*) Before taking the insulation test of the installation the wiring must be complete in every respect. All fittings such as lamps, fans, cookers, motors, etc., must be connected up, fuses inserted and all switches switched in the " on " position before the tests are carried out. Temporary wires or fittings or dead ends should not be included in the installation and no part of the work should be left incomplete.

(*d*) The insulation resistance of the entire installation to earth shall be tested ~~from the installation side of~~ at the consumer's premises vide General Wiring condition 16(a). Prior to same being connected to the licensee's terminals.

(*e*) The licensee shall not connect the conductors and fittings on the consumer's premises with his works, unless he is reasonably satisfied that the connection will not at the time of making the connection cause a leakage from those conductors and fittings exceeding one five thousandth part of the maximum supply demanded on the consumer's premises.

7. *Extensions and alterations.*—Should the consumer at any time after the supply of energy has been commenced, desire to increase the number or size of lights, fans, motors, etc., on his premises, or in any way to alter the position of his wiring therein, notice thereof shall be sent in writing together with the wiring contractor's completion and Test report to the licensee whose representative will call and inspect the alteration and, if necessary, change the meters and fuses and alter the service line. Failure to give such notice may derange the supply system and will render the supply liable to be summarily discontinued.

8. *Failure of supply.*—Should at any time the licensee's service fuse or fuses fail, notice thereof should be sent to the licensee's office or if there are sub-stations, having an attendant fuseman to the nearest sub-station. Only authorised employees bearing the badge of the licensee are permitted to replace these fuses in the licensee's cut-outs. Consumers are not allowed to replace these fuses and they will render themselves liable to a heavy penalty if the licensee's seals placed to protect his apparatus are broken. The licensee does not allow his employees to carry out repairs to the consumer's installation. If the failure of supply is due to any cause other than a fault in the licensee's apparatus, the consumer will be charged a fee of Re. 1 for the attendance of the fuseman in accordance with Part II of these conditions.

9. *Access to premises and apparatus.*—~~The licensee's servants~~ Employees duly authorised by the licensee are entitled at all reasonable times to enter upon the premises to which energy is supplied for the

purpose of reading the meters and for other purposes connected with the apparatus belonging to the licensee.

10. *Accuracy of meters.*—Should the consumer dispute the accuracy of any meter which is not his own property, he may, upon giving notice and paying the prescribed fee, have the meter tested by the licensee or the Electric Inspector, Bombay, in accordance with section 26 of the Indian Electricity Act, 1910. In the event of the meter being tested by the licensee and found to be beyond the limits of accuracy as prescribed, the testing fee shall be returned and the amount of the bill adjusted in accordance with the result of the test taken with respect to the meter readings of the three months prior to the month in which the dispute has arisen, due regard being paid to conditions of occupancy during the month under dispute and during the previous three months. In the event of the test being undertaken by the Electric Inspector, Bombay, and the meter being found to be incorrect, the period during which the meter shall be deemed to have been incorrect, and the amount of energy supplied to the consumer during this period shall be decided by the Electric Inspector, Bombay, whose decision shall be final.

The licensee may remove the meter for the purpose of testing it in his laboratory.

11. *Deposits.*—The consumer may be required by the licensee to enter into a contract in the form of Annexure B hereto appended or make a declaration in lieu of the written contract on one rupee stamp and to make a cash deposit or to give security in Government Promissory Notes or other approved securities for the payment of his monthly bills for energy supplied and for the value of the meter and other apparatus installed on his premises. In the event of no contract having been entered into between the licensee and the consumer, the latter after the supply of energy has once commenced, shall be bound by the terms and conditions of supply herein set forth.

The licensee is prepared to allow interest as follows upon deposits lodged with him against (*a*) regular payment of energy bills (*b*) a reasonable return under clause V and/or VI of the Schedule to the Indian Electricity Act, 1910. In both the above cases deposits must be made in cash if the sum deposited is below Rs. 100 and in cash or Government securities if the sum is Rs. 100 or exceeds that amount. No interest shall be allowed upon deposits below Rs. 50.

On deposits of Rs. 50 or more which may be made in cash, interest shall be allowed at the rate of 2 per centum per annum.

On deposits made in Government securities the interest accruing thereon will be collected periodically and passed on to the depositor less 2 per cent. which will be retained by the licensee to cover the cost of collection, etc. When Government securities are deposited the amount of the deposit shall be calculated at the current market value of the said securities and not upon their face value. No interest shall be allowed on deposits lodged against the cost of service lines, as the account is only of a temporary nature.

12. *Notice of removal.*—Consumers about to vacate or sublet their premises shall give to the licensee a full seven days' notice in writing as to whether the premises should be disconnected or only the meters should be read and the bills submitted ; otherwise, the licensee cannot guarantee that the meter readings will be taken on the required date. Failing such notice, the consumer will be held responsible for all energy consumed on the premises until the expiration of 24 hours from the day on which notice of removal in writing has been received at the office of the licensee.

13. *Payment of bills.*—(1) Bills should be paid at the licensee's office within 7 days from the date of their presentation.

(2) Any complaints with regard to the accuracy of the bills shall be made in writing to the licensee and the amounts of such bills shall be paid *under protest* within the said period of ~~8~~ 7 days. The amounts of bills paid under protest will be regarded as advances to the credit of the consumer's account until such time as the bills in dispute have been finally settled.

(3) If the consumer fails to pay any bill presented to him within the said period of ~~8~~ 7 days, the licensee shall be at liberty to take action under sub-section (1) of section 24 of the Indian Electricity Act, 1910, and to cut-off the supply after giving such consumer not less than 7 days' clear notice in writing without prejudice to his right to recover the amount of the bill by suit. Where, however, any difference or dispute has been referred under the Act to an Electric Inspector before notice as aforesaid has been given by the licensee, the licensee shall not be at liberty to cut-off the supply for failure to pay the bill except where the licensee has made a request in writing to the consumer that the amount in dispute should be deposited with the Electric Inspector and the consumer has failed to comply with such request.

14. *System of supply.*—Supply of energy shall be given from medium pressure distributing mains on the—

(*a*) Three phase four-wire Alternating Current system, 50 cycles, 400 volts between phases or 230 volts between each phase and neutral wires.

~~(*b*) Three-wire Direct Current system, 460 volts between outers or 230 volts between each outer and neutral wire.~~

15. *Classification of Installations :—*

I. A. C. SYSTEM.

(*a*) 2 wire single phase, 230 volts—

1. General supply not exceeding 10 amperes.
2. Motive power installations below 1 B.H.P. in the aggregate.

(*b*) 3 wire, two phase, 230 volts between phase wires and neutral—

General supply exceeding 10 amperes but not exceeding 20 amperes.

(*c*) 4 wire, three phase, 230 volts between phase wires and neutral—

General supply exceeding 20 amperes.

(*d*) 3 wire, 3 phase, 400 volts between phases—

Motive power installations of 1 B.H.P. in the aggregate and over.

~~II. D. C. SYSTEM.~~

~~(*a*) 2 wire, 230 volts—~~

~~1. General supply not exceeding 10 amperes.~~

~~2. Motive power installations up to 1 B.H.P. in the aggregate.~~

~~(*b*) 3 wire, 230 volts between outer wire and neutral—~~

~~General supply exceeding 10 amperes.~~

~~(*c*) 2 wire, 460 volts between outers—~~

~~Motive power installations of over 1 B.H.P. in the aggregate.~~

16. *General Wiring Conditions*—(*a*) *Mains.*—The consumer's mains shall in all cases be brought back to the licensee's point of supply and sufficient cable shall be provided for connecting up with the licensee's apparatus.

(*b*) *Switches and Fuses.*—The consumer shall provide linked quick break main switches and ~~a single pole fuse on each pole, which shall be fixed as near as possible to the licensee's meter board.~~ fuses in accordance with the rule 51 of the Indian Electricity Rules 1937. Single pole switches controlling lamps or fans or other apparatus shall be inserted in the live wire and not in the neutral wire.

(c) *Balance of Installation.*—If the connected load of any installation exceeds 10 amperes at 230 volts, the installation shall be wired on the group system, separate neutral wires being brought back in each case to the licensee's point of supply. An approved form of linked switch (single pole) with two single pole fuses shall control each main circuit. The lamps, fans or any other apparatus of which the installation consists shall be so grouped that under normal working conditions the current will be balanced and no current will be flowing in the neutral wire.

(d) *Medium Pressure Supply.*—With medium pressure supply, i.e., 250 volts to 650 volts, the licensee's meter and service cut-outs shall be enclosed in a strong teakwood box suitably ventilated and provided with a hasp, staple and lock. All wires between which a difference of potential of 250 volts or over exists shall be made inaccessible to unauthorised persons or enclosed in an earthed metallic casing or conduit. A " Caution " Board printed in English and in the Vernacular shall be fixed thereto.

(e) *Aerial Mains.*—In order to save the expense of a long underground service on private property, a consumer may, with the licensee's approval, erect a pillar on that portion of his property which is nearest to the licensee's supply mains into which the service shall be laid and from which the consumer shall run overhead mains to his premises. These overhead mains shall constitute a portion of his installation and shall be laid in compliance with the Indian Electricity Rules, 1927. An efficient choking coil and lightning arrester may be fixed at the commencement of the overhead line at the consumer's cost should he desire the same, as an additional protection for his installation.

(f) *Earthing.*—Gas pipes shall on no account be used for earthing purposes. All wiring shall be kept as far as possible from gas and water pipes.

(g) *Domestic Heating and Cooking.*—A special circuit for ~~heating and cooking~~ shall be run from the licensee's point of supply. Wall plugs used on these circuits shall be of the three pin type, the third pin being an earth connection. Two pin plugs or lightning sockets shall not be allowed.

(h) *Plugs.*—All plugs shall be switched on the live wire and not on the neutral.

(i) *Wiring.*—Single leads shall not be allowed to be run separately in iron conduit.

(j) (~~f~~) *A. C. Motor Installation.*—Motors shall be provided with control gear so as to prevent satisfactorily the maximum current demand from the consumer's installation exceeding the limits given in the following schedule at any time under all possible conditions. Failure to comply with these regulations will render the consumer liable to disconnection from the supply on account of interference with the supply to other consumers :—

Nature of supply.	Size of installation.	Limit of maximum current demanded.
Single Phase ..	Up to and including 1 B.H.P.	Six times full load current.
Three Phase ..	Above 1 B.H.P. and up to and including 10 B.H.P.	Three times full load current.
	Above 10 B.H.P. and up to and including 15 B.H.P.	Twice full load current.
	Above 15 B.H.P. ..	One and a half time full load current.

Three phase

(1) Motor circuits shall be controlled by a triple pole switch protected by a no-volt release and T. P. fuses (or overload releases). It is important that the release should be maintained in thorough working order. Wiring for motors shall be run with all three phase wires bunched in a single metallic conduit, which shall be efficiently earthed throughout and connected to the frame of the motor from which two separate earth wires shall be run. The minimum size of the earth wire permitted is No. 10 or 2/14 S.W.G. All motors shall comply in every respect with the Indian Electricity Rules, ~~1922.~~ 1937

Motors of 1 B.H.P. ~~and above~~ above shall be wound for 3 phase, 400 volts between phases.

(2) *D. C. Motor Installations.*—Motors shall be provided with control gear so as to prevent satisfactorily an excessive current demand from the consumer's installation. Failure to comply with these regulations will render the consumer liable to disconnection from the supply on account of interference with the supply to other consumers.

Motor circuits shall be controlled by a double pole switch protected by a no-volts release and D. P. fuses (or overload releases). It is important that the release be maintained in thorough working order. Wiring for motors shall be run with both the wires bunched in a single metallic conduit, which must be efficiently earthed throughout and connected to the frame of the motor from which two separate earth wires shall be run. The minimum size of the earth wire permitted is No. 10 or 2/14 S.W.G. All motors shall comply in every respect with the Indian Electricity Rules, 1922.

~~Motors above 1 B.H.P. shall be wound for 460 volts.~~

(*k*) *Power Factor of Apparatus.*—The apparatus shall have a power factor of not less than 80 per cent. at normal working loads.

17. *Saving of Rights of Licensee and Consumers.*—Nothing in these conditions shall abridge or prejudice the rights or remedies of the licensee and the consumer under the license, the Indian Electricity Act, 1910, or the Indian Electricity Rules, ~~1922.~~ 1937.

For The Hubli Electricity Co. Ltd.

MANAGING AGENTS.

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ANNEXURE " A"

FORM OF REQUISITION FOR SUPPLY OF ENERGY UNDER CLAUSE VI (5) OF THE SCHEDULE TO THE INDIAN ELECTRICITY ACT, 1910.

Note.—Intending consumers are requested to see that this form is fully and clearly filled in and signed.

To The Hubli Electricity Company, Ltd.,
Hubli

(~~name of~~ licensee)

I/We hereby require you, in accordance with clause VI of the Schedule to the Indian Electricity Act, 1910, within one month or within such longer period as the Electric Inspector may allow, from the date of this requisition, to supply energy for the premises owned/occupied by me/us, and situate within the area of supply specified in the Hubli Electric ——— Licence, 1924, for the following :—

Incandescent Lamps.		Punkhas.		Plugs, Heaters, etc.		Motors.		Total Demand.
No.	Wattage each.	No.	Wattage each.	No.	Wattage each.	No.	B.H.P. each	K.W.

Applicant's full Name

Designation

Class of Premises House No.

Road Locality

This requisition is for—

(1) A New Service.

The landlord has agreed to my taking the supply of energy and his written authority is enclosed herewith.

(2) A Tapping.

The name and address of the consumer for whom the service was originally laid is

His Service No. is

The landlord has agreed to my taking the supply of energy and his written authority is enclosed herewith.

(3) An extension to my existing installation from Service No.

(4) A re-connection.

The previous consumer's name is

and his Service No. is

(5) A change of name from Service No.

The wiring will be carried out by :—

Name Address

Applicant's signature

Present address

Permanent address

Date

Note—

1. The applicant is requested to complete the clause referring to this requisition and to strike out the clauses which are inapplicable.

2. Under clause VI (I) 1st proviso of the Schedule to the Indian Electricity Act, 1910, the licensee shall not be bound to comply with any such requisition unless and until the person making it—

(*a*) within fourteen days after the service on him by the licensee of a notice in writing in this behalf, tenders to the licensee a written contract in the form approved by the Local Government duly executed and with sufficient security binding himself to take the supply of energy for not less than two years to such amount as will produce at current rates charged by the licensee, a reasonable return to the licensee ; and

(*b*) if required by the licensee so to do, pays to the licensee the cost of so much of any service line as may be laid down or placed for the purposes of the supply upon the property in respect of which the requisition is made, and of so much of any service line as it may be necessary for the said purposes to lay down or place beyond one hundred feet from the licensee's distributing mains, although not on that property.

3. No connection will be given to any consumer whose installation has not been carried out by a licensed electrical contractor and under the direct supervision of a Competency Certificate holder [*vide* Government Notification (Public Works Department) No. 640/27-I, dated 15th November 1934].

4. In lieu of the contract referred to in Note 2 (*a*) above, the licensee is prepared to accept a declaration in the following form, subject to deposit of any required securities by the applicant :—

Declaration.

I/We hereby declare that I/We desire to have and agree with the licensee to take a supply of energy for the abovementioned purposes for a period of not less than two years from the date of commencement of the supply and to be bound by the provisions of clause VI of the Schedule to the Indian Electricity Act, 1910, and by the licensee's charges, rates and conditions of supply as from time to time in force.

One rupee stamp.

Applicant's signature.

For The Hubli Electricity Co. Ltd.

MANAGING AGENTS. 6/8/41

ANNEXURE " B "

AN AGREEMENT made this day of One thousand nine hundred and thirty between The Hubli Electricity Company Ltd., a company registered under the Indian Companies Act and having its registered office at Hubli (hereinafter referred to as the " Licensee ", which expression shall, unless excluded by or repugnant to the context, be deemed to include ~~his~~ its successors and permitted assigns) of the one part and (hereinafter referred to as " the consumer ", which expression shall unless excluded by or repugnant to the context include his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns) of the other part.

WHEREAS the licensee has agreed to supply and the consumer has agreed to take energy at the premises mentioned in the schedule hereto (hereinafter referred to as " the said premises "), subject to the terms and conditions hereinafter contained.

Now it is hereby agreed by and between the parties hereto as follows :—

1. The licensee shall from the day of 19 and during the continuance of this agreement, supply the consumer with the energy required by him for the purpose and up to the maximum quantity specified in the schedule hereto.

2. The consumer shall pay to the Licensee on demand the cost of so much of any electric supply line as may be laid for the purpose of the supply upon the said premises, and of so much of any electric supply line as it may be necessary to lay for the said purposes in excess of 100 feet from the Licensee's distributing main, although not on the said premises.

3. The supply shall be registered by a meter or meters in or upon the said premises which the licensee shall provide and keep in order and replace whenever necessary on payment of a monthly rental in force from time to time ~~of annas eight or rupee one per meter according to the nature of the meter~~. The consumer shall be at liberty at any time to purchase another meter or meters and from and after the purchase thereof the consumer shall be responsible for keeping the same in proper order.

4. The consumer shall pay to the licensee for the energy so supplied and registered as aforesaid at the rates from time to time in force and paid by similar consumers ; Provided nevertheless that if at the end of twelve calendar months calculated from the first day of the month following that in which the supply was first commenced and at the end of each subsequent period of twelve calendar months during which this Agreement is in force, the registered consumption of energy shall fall short of the value of Rs. being the equivalent of such guaranteed minimum consumption as is specified in the Schedule hereto, the consumer shall pay to the Licensee the difference between the registered consumption and the guaranteed minimum consumption at the rate per Board of Trade unit applicable thereto ; Provided further that in the event of a minimum consumption not being guaranteed the consumer shall pay to the Licensee for each calendar month during which this Agreement is in force a sum which shall not be less than the Licensee's prescribed minimum monthly charge.

5. Readings of the meter or meters shall be taken by the Licensee once in each month or at such other intervals or times as the Licensee shall deem expedient and the Licensee's meter readers shall have access to the consumer's premises at all reasonable times for the purpose of taking such readings. Payment for energy supplied shall be made by the consumer according to the readings of each meter forthwith upon presentation of a bill therefor.

6. Should the consumer dispute the accuracy of any meter not being his own property, the consumer may upon giving notice and paying the prescribed fee, have the meter officially tested by the licensee or the Electric Inspector, Bombay, in

accordance with section 26 of the Indian Electricity Act, 1910. In the event of the meter being tested by the licensee and found to be beyond the limits of accuracy as prescribed, the testing fee will be returned and the amount adjusted in accordance with the result of the test taken in respect of the meter readings of the three months prior to the month in which the dispute has arisen due regard being paid to conditions of occupancy during the month under dispute and during the previous three months. In the event of the test being undertaken by the Electric Inspector, Bombay, and the meter being found to be incorrect, the period during which the meter shall be deemed to have been incorrect, and the amount of energy supplied to the consumer during this period shall be decided by the Electric Inspector, Bombay.

7. The consumer shall, on receipt of a requisition from the Licensee in this behalf deposit with him the sum of Rs. as security for the purpose next hereinafter mentioned, and shall on a like requisition from time to time renew or replenish such security in the event of the same becoming exhausted or insufficient. The Licensee shall be at liberty at any time and from time to time to appropriate and apply any security so deposited as aforesaid in or towards the payment or satisfaction of all or any moneys which shall become due or owing by the consumer to the Licensee in respect of the supply of energy or otherwise under this Agreement but the provisions in this clause contained shall not prejudice any other remedy to which the licensee may be entitled for the recovery of any such moneys. Interest on such deposits shall be paid to the consumer in accordance with the terms laid down in the Licensee's conditions for the supply of energy.

8. This agreement shall be in force for a period of not less than two years in the first instance from the date of commencement of the supply specified in clause 1 and thereafter shall continue from year to year until the agreement is determined as hereinafter provided.

9. The consumer shall not be at liberty save with the consent of the Licensee to determine this Agreement before the expiration of two years from the date of commencement of the supply of energy hereunder. The consumer may determine this Agreement at any time after the said period on giving to the Licensee not less than one calendar month's previous notice in writing in that behalf and upon the expiration of the period of such notice this Agreement shall cease and determine without prejudice to any right which may then have accrued to the Licensee hereunder ; Provided always that the consumer may at any time with the previous consent of the Licensee transfer this Agreement to any other person and upon subscription of such transfer this Agreement shall be binding on the transferee and the Licensee and take effect in all respects as if the transferee had originally been a party hereto in place of the consumer who shall thenceforth be discharged from all liability under or in respect hereof.

10. This Agreement shall be read and construed as subject in all respects to the provisions of the Hubli Electric license, 1924, and to the provisions of the Indian Electricity Act, 1910, and the rules for the time being in force thereunder as far as the same may respectively be applicable.

The supply of energy under this Agreement is also subject to the following among other provisions of law, namely :—

(i) If the consumer fails within seven days after the date of the service thereof upon him to comply with the terms of any notice in writing by the Licensee requiring him to give security for the purposes mentioned in clause hereof or to renew or replenish any security which may have been given for these purposes but which may have become exhausted or insufficient, the licensee may discontinue the supply so long such failure continues.

(ii) If the consumer adopts any form of lamp or burner or uses the energy supplied or deals with it in any manner so as unduly or improperly to interfere with the efficient supply of energy to any other person by the Licensee, or fails to keep in proper order any meter belonging to him by which the supply is registered, the Licensee may discontinue the supply so long as such lamp or burner is so adapted or the energy is so used or dealt with or the meter is not kept in proper order, as the case may be.

(iii) The Licensee shall not be bound to give or continue the supply if an Electric Inspector or other competent person appointed by the Local Government is satisfied that the electric lines, fittings, works or any other apparatus within the said premises are not in good order and condition and are likely to affect injuriously the use of energy by the Licensee or by other persons. Nor will the Licensee be responsible for any interruption or dimunition in the supply of energy due to occurrences beyond his control.

(iv) If the consumer makes any alterations or additions to any electric wires, fittings, works or apparatus belonging to him within the said premises, all such alterations and additions shall be notified to the Licensee by the consumer before being connected to the source of supply with a view to their being examined and tested.

THE SCHEDULE REFERRED TO ABOVE

1. Description of the premises.
2. Purposes for which supply is to be given.
3. Maximum quantity of energy required by the consumer.
4. Value of guaranteed consumption for each period of twelve calendar months, commencing from the day of 193

IN WITNESS whereof for and on behalf of the Licensee has/have set his/their hand/hands hereunto ~~and the seal of the Licensee~~ and the Consumer has set his hand hereunto the day and year first above written.

SIGNED, ~~sealed~~ and delivered ~~by~~

FOR THE HUBLI ELECTRICITY CO LTD.

for and on behalf of the Licensee.

witness,

SIGNED and delivered by

the Consumer.

witness

For The Hubli Electricity Co. Ltd.

MANAGING AGENTS.

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ANNEXURE " C ".

Form of Requisition under clause V (4) of the Schedule to the Indian Electricity Act, 1910.

(In the case of six or more owners or occupiers).

To THE HUBLI ELECTRICITY COMPANY, LTD., HUBLI. (Name of licensee).

We, the undersigned, being owners or occupiers of the premises situated in or upon Street in the town of Hubli within the " Area of Supply " specified in the Hubli Electric License, 1924, do hereby require you in pursuance of Clause V of the Schedule to the Indian Electricity Act, 1910, to provide within six months from the date of this requisition, distributing mains through the said streets.

Dated at Hubli

the day of 193 .

For The Hubli Electricity Co. Ltd.

MANAGING AGENTS.

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PART II.

SERVICE AND MISCELLANEOUS CHARGES.

Charges for service line.—One hundred feet of service line from the distributing main, but not on the property for which a requisition for the supply of energy is received, shall be laid free of charge. The charges for the rest of the service line shall be recovered at the actual cost *plus* fifteen per centum to cover overhead charges.

MISCELLANEOUS CHARGES.

	Rs. a. p.	
1. Connection fee—		
(*a*) Connection fee for every new installation to the supply mains, including the fixing of meters	6 0 0	per meter.
(*b*) If two or more new connections are simultaneously made from the same service, the fee for each additional connection after the first shall be	3 0 0	per meter.
2. Reconnection fee for an installation which is disconnected on account of—		
(*a*) Vacation of premises, or	1 0 0	per meter.
(*b*) non-payment of accounts or infringement of the conditions of supply	2 0 0	per meter.

Note.—If, owing to the staff of the Licensee being unable to obtain access to the meter, the disconnection has to be made from the mains, either underground or overhead, the consumer shall have to pay all the costs incidental to such disconnection and reconnection.

	Rs. a. p.	
3. *Meters*—		
(*a*) Hire of a D.C. meter or single phase A.C. meter, per mensem	0 8 0	per meter.
Hire of a D.C. meter for a 3 wire service or polyphase A.C. meter per mensem	1 0 0	per meter.
(*b*) Changing meter for one of a different size when necessitated by a change in the consumer's demand	2 0 0	per meter.
(*c*) Changing the position of the meter board only and when no alteration in service is required, the necessary alteration in wiring being carried out by the consumer through a licensed electrical contractor ..	3 0 0	per meter.
(*d*) Charge for attendance of a fuseman ..	1 0 0	per meter.
(*e*) Charge for the supply and fixing of an additional meter board	3 0 0	per meter.
(*f*) Charges for attendance of fusemen at consumer's premises during any function per night ..	3 0 0	per meter.
4. *Testing*—		
(*a*) *Installations.*—The test and inspection prior to connection of a new installation shall be carried out free of charge, but should any further test and/or inspection be found necessary owing to any fault in the installation or to non-compliance with the conditions of supply the charge for each additional test shall be	5 0 0	per meter.

under Section 26 of the I. E. Act 1910 Rs. a. p.

(*b*) *Testing of meters.*—In the case of a disputed meter no charge shall be made for testing it, should the meter prove to be ~~more than~~ outside the limits of error allowed under rule 32 of the I. E. Rules 1937. ~~three per centum fast or slow~~, otherwise the charge for testing it shall be .. 5 0 0 per meter.

(*c*) The Licensee shall undertake to test and calibrate House service meters, which are the property of the consumer on payment of a charge of 10 0 0 per meter.

Note.—The Licensee shall not accept any responsibility whatsoever for the satisfactory and correct running of the consumer's meter after the owner has taken delivery thereof subsequent to the test.

5. *Failure of supply.*—For restoring connection in cases in which the failure of supply is due to any cause other than a fault in the Licensee's apparatus .. 1 0 0

6. *Security deposits against payment of monthly bills.*—When required by the Licensee to do so, the consumer shall deposit security as under—

(1) for lights and fans per every 0·5 K.W. or less applied for .. 5 0 0

(2) for motive power per B.H.P. installed .. .. 15 ~~10~~ 0 0

7. *Supply of energy for a temporary period, not covered by clause VI of the Schedule to the Indian Electricity Act, 1910—*

1. *For Lights, Fans, etc.—* *Maximum rates*

(*a*) *Metered supply* .. As. 8 per unit with a minimum of Rs. 3 per month or part of a month.

(*b*) *Unmetered supply* .. Rs. ~~4-8-0~~ 6-0-0 per K.W. or part thereof of maximum demand per night of .. 12 hours.

Rs. ~~2-4-0~~ 3-0-0 per K.W. or part thereof of maximum demand per night of .. 6 hours.

The above charges for energy shall be exclusive of the connection and disconnection fee of Rs 8/-

2. *For Power—*

(*a*) *Metered supply* .. As. 4 per unit with a minimum of Rs. 3 per K.W. of demand per month or part of a month.

(*b*) *Unmetered supply* .. Rs. ~~2-4-0~~ 3-0-0 per K.W. or part thereof per day (restricted to 12 hours day supply only).

Rs. 4-8-0 per K.W. or part thereof per day for 12 hours night supply.

The above charges for energy shall be exclusive of the connection & disconnection fee of Rs 15/-

3. *Service.*—The actual cost of the service (labour and materials *plus* 15 per cent. for supervision) shall be recovered from the consumer. When the service is removed, the labour cost of dismantling shall be charged to the consumer, who will be allowed a credit for all materials returned at the actual cost less 25 per cent. depreciation for the first month or part thereof, and 3¼ per cent. for each subsequent month.

Note.—The Licensee is by no means bound to charge the maximum.

All Charges are payable in advance

For The Hubli Electricity Co. Ltd.

MANAGING AGENTS.

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NEW YEAR HIGHLY REDUCED RATES FOR ELECTRICITY

Cheap Energy For All Consumers.

The Hubli Electricity Co., Ltd. are glad to announce the Reduction of the Minimum Charge from Rs. 3/- to Rs. 1-14-0 only per month (exclusive of meter hire) and also the following further Discounts to consumers using energy for Lighting and Fans for prompt payment of their Bills at their Cash Receiving Office, commencing with bills rendered for the month of February 1935.

Minimum Charge is reduced from Rs. 3-0-0 to Rs. 1-14-0 only per month.

Scale of Discount.

1. When the consumption recorded for any one month is 23 units and above, a Discount of 25 per cent or 4 **Annas per Rupee** will be allowed on every completed Half Rupee billed for energy, subject to a minimum charge of Rs. 10-0-0 for consumption from 23 to 27 units (inclusive).

2. When the consumption recorded for any one month is 11 units and above but below 23 units, a Discount of 12½ per cent or **2 Annas per Rupee** will be allowed on each completed Half Rupee billed for energy, subject to a minimum charge of Rs. 5-0-0 for consumption from 11 to 11½ units (inclusive).

3. When the consumption recorded for any one month is below 11 units a Discount of 6¼ per cent or **One Anna per Rupee** will be allowed on each completed Half Rupee billed for energy, subject to a minimum charge of Rs. 2-0-0 only per month. (Discount of 2 annas on the minimum charge of Rs. 2-0-0 will be deducted from the succeeding month's bill if payment is made before the 7th day of the month, thus bringing the minimum charge down to only Rs. 1-14-0).

Conditions.

1. No discount will be allowed when any arrears are included in the bill or if payment is made after 7 days of the date stamped on the bill. If a bill is disputed it must nevertheless be paid in full within 7 days of the date stamped on the bill in order to obtain the discount, but any refund to which the consumer is found to be entitled will be repaid later after proper verification.

2. Payments by cheques on local banks should be received at the Company's Office before the 6th day to entitle them for the discount and cheques on other banks should be received before the 4th day.

3. The full amont of the bill should be paid before the 7th of each month and the discount that will be due thereon will be given credit and deducted from the bill for the succeeding month; no discount will be refunded by way of cash under any circumstances.

4. Consumers under special contract and consumers using **unmetered** energy are not entitled for the discount.

5. Bills are usually rendered on the 1st day of every month for consumption during the previous month and no contention can be raised by consumers that the bills are not received as the consumers are requested to enquire about same if not so received and to obtain duplicate bills if need be.

Energy charges are always exclusive of Meter Hire of 8 annas per month and no discount will be allowed on meter hire. Consumers are requested to place sufficient deposit with the Company to cover their monthly bills so that any unforseen delay in payment may still entitle them for the above discount and avoid disappointment.

The Reduction of the monthly Minimum Charge and the Additional Discounts are introduced with the object of affording great facilties for use of metered electrical energy in every house and in larger quantity. The Company reserves the right to withdraw or vary the minimum charge, discount or conditions at any time. It is hoped that all present and future consumers will take full benefit of the above increased concessions without delay and enable the company to make the concessions a permanent measure.

Power House,
Hubli, 20th January 1935.

For The Hubli Electricity Co., Ltd.,
AMTE & CO.,
Managing Agents.

ಇಲೆಕ್ಟ್ರಿಕ್ ಪಾವರಿಗೆ ಹೊಸ ವರ್ಷದ ಜಂಗೀ ಕಡಿಮೆ ಮಾಡಿದ ದರಗಳು.

೧೯೩೫ ನೇ ಫೆಬ್ರುವರಿ ತಿಂಗಳಿಂದ ಕಡಿಮೆ ಮಿನಿಮುಮ್ ಚಾರ್ಜ ಮತ್ತು ಹೆಚ್ಚಿಗೆ ವಟಾವು.

ದೀಪ ಮತ್ತು ಪಂಖಾಗಳಿಗೆ ಇಲೆಕ್ಟ್ರಿಕ್ ಪಾವರನ್ನು ವಾಪರಿಸತಕ್ಕವರಿಗೆ ಬಿಲ್ಲಿನ ರಕಮನ್ನು ಮುದ್ದತ ತೀರ ಕಂಪನಿಯ ಆಫೀಸಿನಲ್ಲಿ ತುಂಬಿದಲ್ಲಿ ಇದೇ ಫೆಬ್ರುವರಿ ತಿಂಗಳಿಂದ ಕೆಳಗೆ [redacted] ರೂ. ೧—೧೪—೦ ಮಾತ್ರ ಮಿನಿಮುಮ್ ಚಾರ್ಜನ್ನೂ ಮತ್ತು ಹೆಚ್ಚಿಗೆ ವಟಾವನ್ನೂ ಕೊಡುವದರಲ್ಲಿ ಬರುವದು.

ವಟಾವಿನ ವಿವರ.

೧. ತಿಂಗಳಿಗೆ ೨೩ ಯೂನಿಟ್ಸ್ ಮತ್ತು ಅದಕ್ಕೂ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿಗೆ ವಾಪರಿಸಿದಲ್ಲಿ ಶೇಕಡಾ ೨೫ ರಂತೆ (ಅಂದರೆ ರೂಪಾಯಿಗೆ ೪ ಆಣೆ) ಬಿಲ್ಲಿನ ಪ್ರತಿ ಅರ್ಧ ರೂಪಾಯಿಯ ಮೇಲೆ ವಟಾವು ಕೊಡಲ್ಪಡುವದು ಆದರೆ ೨೩ ರಿಂದ ೨೭ ಯೂನಿಟ್ಸಗಳಿಗೆ ರೂ. ೧೦-೦-೦ ಮಾತ್ರ ಚಾರ್ಜ ಮಾಡಲ್ಪಡುವದು ಹೀಗಾಗಿ ಯೂನಿಟ್ಟಿಗೆ ೬ ಆಣೆ ಮಾತ್ರ ದರ ಬೀಳುವದು.

೨. ತಿಂಗಳಿಗೆ ೧೧ ಯೂನಿಟ್ಸ ಮತ್ತು ಅದಕ್ಕೂ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿಗೆ, ಆದರೆ ೨೩ ಯೂನಿಟ್ಸಗಿಂತ ಕಡಿಮೆ, ವಾಪರಿಸಿದಲ್ಲಿ ಶೇಕಡಾ ೧೨॥ ರಂತೆ (ಅಂದರೆ ರೂಪಾಯಿಗೆ ೨ ಆಣೆ) ಬಿಲ್ಲಿನ ಪ್ರತಿ ಪೂರಾ ಅರ್ಧ ರೂಪಾಯಿಯ ಮೇಲೆ ವಟಾವು ಕೊಡಲ್ಪಡುವದು ಆದರೆ ೧೧ರಿಂದ ೧೧॥ ಯೂನಿಟ್ಸಗಳಿಗೆ ೫ ರೂ. ಮಾತ್ರ ಚಾರ್ಜ ಮಾಡಲ್ಪಡುವದು ಹೀಗಾಗಿ ಯೂನಿಟ್ಟಿಗೆ ೬ ಆಣೆ ಮಾತ್ರ ದರ ಬೀಳುವದು.

೩. ತಿಂಗಳಿಗೆ ೧೧ ಯೂನಿಟ್ಸಗಿಂತ ಕಡಿಮೆ ವಾಪರಿಸಿದಲ್ಲಿ ಶೇಕಡಾ ೬। ರಂತೆ (ಅಂದರೆ ರೂಪಾಯಿಗೆ ಒಂದು ಆಣೆ) ಬಿಲ್ಲಿನ ಪ್ರತಿ ಪೂರಾ ಅರ್ಧ ರೂಪಾಯಿಯಿಯ ಮೇಲೆ ವಟಾವು ಕೊಡಲ್ಪಡುವದು ಆದರೆ ತಿಂಗಳಿಗೆ ಕನಿಷ್ಟ ಎರಡು ರೂಪಾಯಿ ಮಿನಿಮುಮ್ ಚಾರ್ಜ ಹಾಕಲ್ಪಡುವದು (೭ನೇ ತಾರೀಖಿನ ವಳಗಾಗಿ ಬಿಲ್ಲಿನ ರಕಮನ್ನು ಪೇಡ ಮಾಡಿದಲ್ಲಿ ಮಿನಿಮುಮ್ ಚಾರ್ಜ ೨ ರೂಪಾಯಿಯ ಮೇಲೂ ಸಹಾ ೨ ಆಣೆ ವಟಾವನ್ನು ಮುಂದಿನ ತಿಂಗಳ ಬಿಲ್ಲಿನಲ್ಲಿ ವಜಾ ಕೊಡಲ್ಪಡುವದು, ಹೀಗಾಗಿ ಮಿನಿಮುಮ್ ಚಾರ್ಜ ರೂ. ೧—೧೪—೦ ಮಾತ್ರ ಬೀಳುವದು.)

ಕರಾರುಗಳು.

೧. ದರತಿಂಗಳ ಕಂಪನಿಯ ಬಿಲ್ಲಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಹಿಂದಿನ ಯಾವದೇ ಬಾಕಿ ಬರತಕ್ಕ ರಕಮನ್ನು ಕೂಡಿಸಿದ್ದಲ್ಲಿ ಅಥವಾ ಬಿಲ್ಲಿನ ತಾರೀಖಿನಿಂದ ೭ ದಿವಸದೊಳಗಾಗಿ ರಕಮನ್ನು ತುಂಬದೇ ಇದ್ದಲ್ಲಿ ವಟಾವು ಶಿಗುವದಿಲ್ಲ. ಬಿಲ್ಲಿನ ರಕಮಿನ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಯಾವದೇ ತಕರಾರು ಇದ್ದರೂ ಸದರ ಬಿಲ್ಲಿನ ರಕಮನ್ನು ಪೂರಾ ತುಂಬದ ಹೊರ್ತು ವಟಾವು ಸಿಗುವದಿಲ್ಲ. ತಕರಾರಿನ ರಕಮಿನ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಮುಂದೆ ಚವಕಸಿ ಮಾಡಿ, ಹೆಚ್ಚಿಗೆ ಚಾರ್ಜ ಆಗಿದ್ದಲ್ಲಿ ಸದರಿ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ರಕಮನ್ನು ಮುಂದೆ ಪರತ ಕೊಡುವದರಲ್ಲಿ ಬರುವದು.

೨. ಹುಬ್ಬಳ್ಳಿಯ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕುಗಳ ಮೇಲಿನ ಚಕ್ಕುಗಳಿಂದ ಪೇಡ ಮಾಡತಕ್ಕವರು ತಿಂಗಳ ೬ನೇ ತಾರೀಖಿನ ವಳಗಾಗಿ ಚಕ್ಕ ಹಾಜರ ಮಾಡಬೇಕು; ಪರಸ್ಥಳದ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕುಗಳ ಮೇಲಿನ ಚಕ್ಕುಗಳನ್ನು ತಿಂಗಳ ೪ ನೇ ತಾರೀಖಿನವಳಗಾಗಿ ಹಾಜರ ಮಾಡಬೇಕು.

೩. ಬಿಲ್ಲಿನ ಪೂರಾ ರಕಮನ್ನು ಕಂಪನಿಯ ಆಫೀಸಿನಲ್ಲಿ ತಿಂಗಳ ೭ ನೇ ತಾರೀಖಿನ ವಳಗಾಗಿ ತುಂಬಬೇಕು ಮತ್ತು ಇದರ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಸಿಗತಕ್ಕ ವಟಾವನ್ನು ಮುಂದಿನ ತಿಂಗಳ ಪಾವರ ಬಿಲ್ಲಿನಲ್ಲಿ ವಜಾ ಕೊಡಲ್ಪಡುವದು; ವಟಾವಿನ ರಕಮನ್ನು ಯಾವದೇ ಕಾರಣದಿಂದ ರೋಖ ಪರತ ಕೊಡುವದರಲ್ಲಿ ಬರಲಾರದು.

೪. ಫ್ಲೆಶಲ್ ಕಂಟ್ರಾಕ್ಟಿನ ಮೇಲೆ ಮತ್ತು ಮೋಟರ ಇಲ್ಲದೆ ಪಾವರ ವಾಪರಿಸತಕ್ಕವರಿಗೆ ವಟಾವು ಶಿಗುವದಿಲ್ಲಾ.

೫. ಸಾಧಾರಣವಾಗಿ ಬಿಲ್ಲುಗಳು ತಿಂಗಳ ಮೊದಲನೇ ತಾರೀಖಿನ ದಿವಸ ಹಂಚಲ್ಪಡುವವು; ಬಿಲ್ಲು ಮುಟ್ಟಲಿಲ್ಲವೆಂಬ ತಕರಾರು ಎಂದಿಗೂ ನಡೆಯಲಾರದು; ಬಿಲ್ಲು ಮುಟ್ಟದೇ ಇದ್ದಲ್ಲಿ ಕೂಡಲೇ ಆ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಆಫೀಸಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಚವಕಸಿ ಮಾಡಿ ಬಿಲ್ಲಿನ ಮತ್ತೊಂದು ಪ್ರತಿಯನ್ನು ಪಡಕೊಳ್ಳಬೇಕು.

೬. ದರ ತಿಂಗಳ ಮೋಟರ ಭಾಡಿಗೆ ಲ ಆಣೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಏನೂ ವಟಾವು ಸಿಗುವದಿಲ್ಲ. ಬಿಲ್ಲಿನ ರಕಮನ್ನು ಯಾವದೆ ಅಡಚಣಿಯ ಮೂಲಕ ಮುದ್ದತ್ತಿನ ತಾರೀಖಿನ ವಳಗಾಗಿ ತುಂಬದೇ ಇದ್ದ ಕಾರಣ ವಟಾವು ಕಳಿದುಕೊಳ್ಳುವ ಪ್ರಸಂಗ ಬರಬಾರದೆಂದು ಎಲ್ಲರೂ ಕಂಪನಿಯ ಆಫೀಸಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಅಜಮಾಸ ಒಂದು ತಿಂಗಳ ಚಾರ್ಜಿನ ರಕಮನ್ನು ಆಗಾವು ಡಿಪಾಜಿಟ್ ಇಡಬೇಕೆಂದು ಸೂಚನೆ.

ಮೇಲೆ ಕಾಣಿಸಿದ ಕಡಿಮೆ ಮಿನಿಮುಮ್ ಚಾರ್ಜ ಮತ್ತು ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ವಟಾವುಗಳ ಸವಲತ್ತನ್ನು ಪಡೆದು ಎಲ್ಲರ ಮನೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಮೋಟರನಿಂದ ಇಲೆಕ್ಟ್ರಿಕ್ ದೀಪಗಳನ್ನು ಹಚ್ಚಬೇಕೆಂದೂ ಮತ್ತು ಹೆಚ್ಚಿಗೆ ಪಾವರನ್ನು ವಾಪರಿಸಿ ಫಾಯದೆ ಪಡಕೊಳ್ಳಬೇಕೆಂದೂ ಆಸೆ ಶವಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಸದರ ಕಡಿಮೆ ಮಿನಿಮುಮ್ ಚಾರ್ಜನ್ನೂ, ವಟಾವಿನ ಸವಲತ್ತುಗಳನ್ನೂ ಮತ್ತು ಕರಾರುಗಳನ್ನೂ ಕಂಪನಿಯವರು ಸಮ್ಮ ಮರ್ಜಿ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಬದಲಾಯಿಸಲಿಕ್ಕೆ ಅಥವಾ ಪರತ ತಕ್ಕೊಳ್ಳಲಿಕ್ಕೆ ಅಧಿಕಾರವನ್ನು ಕಾಯ್ದಿಟ್ಟುದ್ದಾರೆ. ಎಲ್ಲರೂ ನಮ್ಮ ದೀಪನ ನ್ಯಾನ್ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಂಡು ಹೆಚ್ಚಿಗೆ ಪಾವರನ್ನು ವಾಪರಿಸಿ ಈ ಸವಲತ್ತುಗಳನ್ನು ಪಾಯಂ ಮಾಡಲಿಕ್ಕೆ ಕಂಪನಿಗೆ ಸಾಧ್ಯವಾಗುವಂತೆ ಮಾಡಬೇಕು ವರೆಂದು ಅಪೇಕ್ಷಿಸುತ್ತೇವೆ.

ಪಾವರ ಹೌಸ, ಹುಬ್ಬಳ್ಳಿ,
ತಾ॥ ೨೦-೧-೧೯೩೫.

For ದಿ ಹುಬ್ಬಳ್ಳಿ ಇಲೆಕ್ಟ್ರಿಸಿಟಿ ಕಂಪನಿ, ಲಿಮಿಟೆಡ್,
ಅಮಟೆ ಮತ್ತು ಕಂಪನಿ,
ಮ್ಯಾನೇಜಿಂಗ್ ಏಜಂಟರು.

(ಶ್ರೀ ಗುರುಸಿದ್ಧೇಶ್ವರ ಪಾವರ ಪ್ರಿಂಟಿಂಗ್ ಪ್ರೆಸ್, ಹುಬ್ಬಳ್ಳಿ.)

2000-Jan. 1935

THE HUBLI ELECTRICITY COMPANY, LTD.

NOTICE.

We are glad to announce that with effect from 1st April 1936, an additional discount of $6\frac{1}{4}\%$ will be allowed on all lighting bills up to Rs 5/- per mensem, thus allowing a uniform discount of $12\frac{1}{2}\%$ (or Annas Two for every Rupee) on all bills up to Rs 10/-, subject to such bills being paid at the Company's Office within the 7th of every month as usual.

The Minimum Charge for lighting will, however, be billed as before at Rs 3/- (Rupees Three) per month (exclusive of Meter Hire) for installations having a connected load up to 500 watts and Re 1 (Rupee One) for every additional 100 watts connected.

This circular is in modificatin of the circular issued by the Company on 10th January 1935 in respect of discounts and minimum charge.

ದಿ ಹುಬ್ಬಳ್ಳಿ ಇಲೆಕ್ಟ್ರಿಸಿಟಿ ಕಂಪನಿ, ಲಿ.

ನೋಟೀಸು.

ಇನೇ ಎಪ್ರಿಲ ೧೯೩೬ನೇ ತಾರೀಖಿನಿಂದ ಮುಂದೆ ತಿಂಗಳಿಗೆ ರೂ. ೫ ಕ್ಕಿಂತ ಕಡಿಮೆ ಚಾರ್ಜ ಆಗತಕ್ಕ ದೀಪದ ಬಿಲ್ಲುಗಳ ಮೇಲೆ ಶೇಕಡಾ $6\frac{1}{4}$ ರಂತೆ ಈಗಿನಗಿಂತ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿಗೆ ವಟಾವು ಕೊಡುವೆವು. ಅಂದರೆ ರೂ. ೧೦ ರ ವರೆಗಿನ ಎಲ್ಲಾ ಬಿಲ್ಲುಗಳ ಮೇಲೆ ಸರರಾಸ ಶೇಕಡಾ $12\frac{1}{2}$ ಯಂತೆ ಅಂದರೆ ರೂಪಾಯಿಗೆ ಎರಡು ಆಣೆಯಂತೆ ವಟಾವು ಮುರಿದುಕೊಡುವೆವು. ಬಿಲ್ಲುಗಳ ಹಣವನ್ನು ಮಾತ್ರ ಈಗಿನಂತೆ ದರತಿಂಗಳ ೭ ನೇ ತಾರೀಖಿನ ಒಳಗಾಗಿ ಕಂಪನಿಯ ಆಫೀಸಿನಲ್ಲಿ ತುಂಬಬೇಕು.

ಆದರೆ ದೀಪ ಮತ್ತು ಪಂಖಾಗಳಿಗೆ ದರ ತಿಂಗಳಿಗೆ ಮೊದಲಿನಂತೆ ರೂ. ೩. (ಮೊಟರ ಭಾಡಿಗೆ ಬಿಟ್ಟು) ಮಿನಿಮಮ್ಮ ಚಾರ್ಜು ಮಾಡಲ್ಪಡುವದು. ಮತ್ತು ೫೦೦ ವಾಟ್ಸಗಿಂತ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿಗೆ ಪಾವರ ಕನೆಕ್ಶನ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿಸಿಕೊಂಡ ಸ್ಥಳದಲ್ಲಿ ದರವಂದು ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ನೂರ ವಾಟ್ಸಗೆ ಒಂದು ರೂಪಾಯಿಯಂತೆ ಮಿನಿಮಮ್ಮ ಚಾರ್ಜು ಮಾಡಲ್ಪಡುವದು.

ಈ ನೋಟೀಸಿನಿಂದ ಕಂಪನಿಯ ೩೦-೧-೧೯೩೫ನೇ ತಾರೀಖಿನ ನೋಟೀಸಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಕಾಣಿಸಿದ ವಟಾವುಗಳನ್ನು ಮತ್ತು ಮಿನಿಮಮ್ಮ ಚಾರ್ಜನ್ನು ದುರಸ್ತ ಮಾಡಿರುತ್ತದೆ.

Power House,
Hubli, 27th Feb. 1936.

for The Hubli Electricity Co. Ltd.,
Amte & Co.,
Managing Agents.

G P. W. H.

The Hubli Electricity Company, Limited.

MANAGING AGENTS:
MESSRS. AMTE & Co.
HUBLI. (DHARWAR)

TEL. ADDRESS:
"LECTRICITY" HUBLI

POST BOX No. 23

REF. L.5

Hubli, 27th February 193[illegible].

The Under Secretary to the Govt.,
Public Works Department,
Bombay.

Sir,

Re: Minimum Charge for Lighting & Fans.

We beg to enclose herewith a Circular which we have issued today to all our consumers in respect of the monthly minimum charge for lighting and fans, in supersession of what is contained in this respect in our circular of 23th February 1938 a copy of which also is enclosed herewith for ready reference. Kindly acknowledge their receipt.

Yours faithfully,
for The Hubli Electricity Co. Ltd.,

Managing Agents.

Enc.2.

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File No. 202/36
2 MAR 1936
Serial No. 5156

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M.R.

Submitted.

2. The El.Engr.to Govt.may see this U.O.for favour of remarks in the first instance.

⊗ to the Junior Engr.

3. The Hubli El.License ⊗ was granted in 1924. The sanctioned rate for lighting and fan is annas 8 per unit. The Coy.has now offered Rs.10 a discount of 12½ p.c. or annas two in the rupee for all bills upto Rs.10 subject to such bills being paid at the Coy's office within the 7th of every month. If this discount is availed of by the public, the unit rate works out to annas 7 which appears to be really high in these days. In all recent licenses we are allowing a maximum rate of annas 6 per unit for lighting and fan. The Hubli license was granted some 12 years ago and it is time that the licensee should now fall into line with other licenses in the matter of electric supply charges. The El.Engr.to Govt.may be requested to take the matter up, if necessary, with the Supply Coy. and get the rates reduced so as to conform to the rates prevailing at other centres.

for
M.K.P.
7-3-36.

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Below U.O.R.No.202-36/5156 dated 11th March 1936, from Government in the Public Works Department.

Rev. II

No. 2594 of 1935-36.

Bombay, 19th March 1936.

Seen and returned, with compliments,

2. The question of revising the maxima rates sanctioned in the Hubli Electric License has been taken up with the Supply Company and the result will be reported to Government in due course.

J M Rose

Electrical Engineer to Govt.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT
File No. 202/36
19 MAR 1936
Serial No. 6313

(M-R) Submitted

2. A further communication in the matter may be awaited from the El. Engr. to Govt.

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A.S

19-3-36

Copy of letter No.LRM.11/2595 dated 19th March 1936, from the Electrical Engineer to Government, P.W.D., Bombay, to the Hubli Electricity Co., Ltd., Hubli.

Re:- Hubli Electric License, 1924 - Maxima Charges.

I have the honour to state that the above license was sanctioned nearly twelve years ago and the maxima charges contained therein were based on the then prevailing high cost of materials and labour. In view of the fact that the prices of materials and cost of labour have fallen appreciably in recent years, it is but fair that the consumers should be given a share in this benefit of lower prices. I, therefore, request that you will please take very early steps to revise the existing maxima charges by amending your license, after following the procedure laid down in rule 22 of the Indian Electricity Rules, 1922.

In the event of your not being prepared to amend your license in respect of maxima charges, I shall have to recommend to Government to refer the question of altering the maxima rates sanctioned in your license to an Advisory Board under Clause XI of the Schedule to the Indian Electricity Act.

A very early reply in the matter is requested.

" True Copy "

Head Clerk to the
Electrical Engineer to Govt.

Copy of letter No.E.E.34 dated 30th March 1936, from The Hubli Electricity Company, Ltd., Hubli, to the Electrical Engineer to Government, P.W.D., Bombay.

Re:- Hubli Electric License 1924 :
Maxima Charges -

We beg to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of your letter No.LRM.11/2595 dated the 19th instant. The accounts for the year ending 31st March 1936, are just under preparation and we shall be in a position to give you a definite reply within a short time, immediately we come to know our present financial position. In the meantime we may assure you that the matter is receiving our careful consideration and we shall endeavour our best to meet your desire.

No. LRM 11/32 of 1936.
Bombay, 7th April 1936.

Copy, with a copy of this office No.LRM.11/2595 dated the 19th March 1936, forwarded, with compliments, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, Bombay, for information with reference to this office No.LRM.11/2594 dated the 19th March 1936.

Electrical Engineer to Govt.

Encl: 1 Copy of letter referred to above.

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Serial No. 7513

(M.B) Submitted for information.

2. Further developments in the matter may be awaited

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(M.B) Resubmitted. R.G.

2. The Gl Engr. to Govt. may be requested to state how the matter now stands.

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No. 749
MAY

A Sec
Govt & Chief Engr & Govt 8/10/6/36

To M & Ry
7-10-36

Below U.O.R. No.202/36 dated the 10th June 1936 from Government in the Public Works Department.

No.LRM.11/ 4205 of 1942.

Bombay, 13th March, 1942.

Returned with compliments.

2. The question of revising the maxima charges sanctioned in the Hubli Electric License, was referred to the Advisory Board and the recommendations of the Board are under consideration of Government.

3. The revised Conditions of Supply and Miscellaneous charges etc. submitted by the Company in cancellation of the Conditions of Supply sanctioned in Government Resolution, Public Works Department No.9282 dated the 21st February 1928, are enclosed. The Conditions of Supply are generally in order except that the Company has proposed miscellaneous charge which are higher than those sanctioned in the model form, in respect of the following items:-

1. Connection fee:- The Company has proposed a connection fee of Rs.15/- for three phase service and in justification of this charge, the Company states that the cost of laying the service of 100 feet free of charge, works out to more than Rs.42/- and thus the proposed fee is far below the actual cost. The connection fee cannot be confused with service line charges and I do not consider that the proposed charge is justifiable.

3. Meters:- The Company has proposed different rates for the meter hire according to the amperage of the meters viz. annas 8 for a single phase meter, Re.1/- for a polyphase meter upto 10 amperes and Rs.2/- for a polyphase meter above 10 amperes. As the meter hire of Re.1/- is sanctioned in the license, the Company is not entitled to charge Rs.2/- on any account. In this connection, reference is requested to the report of the Advisory Board submitted to Government with this office

letter No. LRM.11/2477 dated 8th November 1941 in which the Board has recommended a charge of annas 8 for the hire of a meter and in case this recommendation is accepted by Government, the Company will be bound to charge accordingly.

7. Supply of energy for a temporary period: The increased rates proposed in respect of the unmetered supply for lights and fans and power are not in order. The Company may be asked to propose such rates as would not in effect exceed the maxima rates sanctioned in the license.

4. The question of miscellaneous charges has been under correspondence with the Supply Company for the last two years and as they are not inclined to revise the miscellaneous charges referred to above to bring them into line with those sanctioned in the model form, it is suggested that a reference may please be made to the Remembrancer of Legal Affairs to obtain his opinion whether Government could operate the provisions of Section 21(3) of the Indian Electricity Act and amend or vary the conditions of supply and miscellaneous charges sanctioned previously by Government (vide note on Sub-section (3) of Section 21, on page 82 of Electrical Law and Practice in India, by Gangadharia and Ferro.

Electrical Engineer to Govt.

DVS.

M.B.

Submitted.

2. The recommendation of the Advisory Board reg: the alterations in the maximum charges sanctioned in the Hubli Electric relevant file which was ref. to A.G. with the necessary draft order has been rec'd from him on the 6th inst & is being submitted with the necessary further disposal.

3. As reg. para 4 of the El. Engr's memo it is observed that some such question

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was raised by him in the case of Jalgaon El. license & his R.S.A's opinion obtained in the matter has been refd to him u.o. in file no 5607/36. The El. Engr to Govt may be requested u.o. to return that file after he has done with it for the further disposal of this case.

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U.O. to El. Engr. to Govt. D. 13/4/42

A.S.

U.O.

ELECTRICAL ENGINEER
TO GOVERNMENT
Inwd. No. 346
16 APR 1942
File No. Genl
P. W. D., BOMBAY

Below U.O.R.No.202/36/6611 dated the 13th April 1942, from Government in the Public Works Department.

No. ERM II / 182 of 1942.

Bombay, 16th April 1942.

Returned, with compliments.

2. File No.5607/36 has been returned under this office No.LRM.36/125 dated the 11th April 1942.

Electrical Engineer to Govt.

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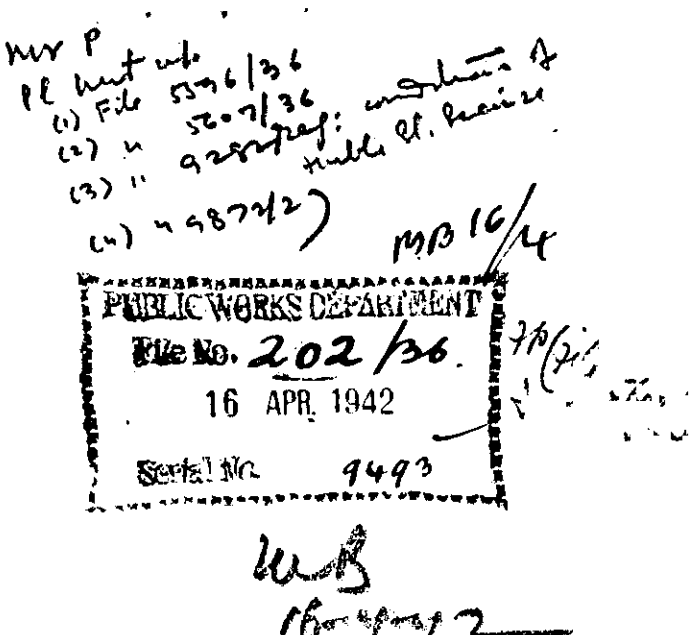
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GOVERNMENT OF BOMBAY.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Resolution No. 5596/36.

Bombay Castle, 27th April 1942.

Read Government Resolutions No. 3398/36, dated the 13th September 1939, and the 10th January 1941.

Letter from the Electrical Engineer to Government No. L.R.M. 11/2477, dated the 8th November 1941, as under :—

"I have the honour to forward the Recommendations and Report of the Electricity Advisory Board for the area covered by the Hubli Electric License, 1924, appointed as per Government Resolution, Public Works Department, No. 3398/36, dated the 13th September 1939."

RESOLUTION.—The Government of Bombay is pleased to accept the recommendations of the Advisory Board appointed in Government Resolution No. 3398/36, dated the 13th September 1939, and to order that the maxima charges for the supply of electrical energy fixed by the Hubli Electric License, 1924, should be altered with effect from the 1st June 1942 in accordance with the Board's recommendations, as set out in the Government Order appended hereto. The order should be published in the *Bombay Government Gazette*.

By order of the Governor of Bombay,

R. H. HAMMETT,
Deputy Secretary to Government.

[*P. T. O.*

To

*The Finance Department.
*The General Department.
*The Commissioner, Southern Division.
*The Collector of Dharwar.
*The Superintending Engineer, Southern Circle.
*The Electrical Engineer to Government.
*The Executive Engineer, Dharwar Division.
*The Accountant General, Bombay.
†Dewan Bahadur Krishnalal M. Jhaveri.
†Mr. V. N. Vartak, I.S.E. (retired).
†Sir Alexander Gray, Kt.
†The Examiner, Outside Audit, Bombay.
†Mr. R. G. Higham.
†The Managing Agents, The Hubli Electricity Company, Limited.

*With a copy of Government Order.
†By letter.

No. of 1942.

Copy forwarded for information and guidance to

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bombay Castle, 27th April 1942.

Order.

No. 5596/36.—Whereas by Government Notification in the Public Works Department No. 3398/36, dated the 13th September 1939, the Government of Bombay was pleased to constitute under section 35 of the Indian Electricity Act, 1910 (IX of 1910) (hereinafter referred to as " the said Act "), an Advisory Board (hereinafter referred to as " the Board ") for the area covered by the Hubli Electric Licence, 1924 (hereinafter referred to as " the said licence ");

INDIAN ELECTRICITY ACT, IX OF 1910.

And whereas in pursuance of the first proviso to clause XI of the Schedule to the said Act, the Government of Bombay referred to the Board the matter regarding alterations, if any, to be made in the maxima charges for the supply of energy fixed by the said licence;

And whereas the Board has recommended certain alterations in these charges;

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the provisions of the first proviso to clause XI of the Schedule to the said Act, and in accordance with the recommendations of the Board, the Government of Bombay is pleased to order that with effect from 1st June 1942 the maxima charges for the supply of energy fixed by the said license, and specified in the third annexure thereto, shall be altered as follows, namely:—

(1) The rate of annas eight per unit consumed for lighting, fans and heating purposes specified in sub-clause (*a*) of clause (2) of the said annexure shall be altered as follows:—

(i) where the energy is supplied for lights and fans the rate shall be altered to annas six per unit;

(ii) where the energy is supplied for domestic heating, cooking, refrigeration and appliances including radios and battery charging, the rate shall be altered to annas three per unit:

Provided that where there is no special circuit for the supply of energy for such purposes, the rate shall be that prescribed in respect of energy supplied for lights and fans.

(2) The rate specified in sub-clause (*b*) of clause (2) of the said annexure for the energy supplied for power and purposes other than those specified in sub-clause (*a*) of the said clause (2) shall be altered as follows:—

For the energy supplied for such purposes—

(i) up to and including 5 B.H.P., the rate shall be altered to annas two per unit in addition to a fixed charge of Rs. 3 per mensem per B.H.P. connected; and

(ii) above 5 B.H.P., the rate shall be altered to anna one and pies nine per unit in addition to a fixed charge of Rs. 2 per mensem per B.H.P. connected.

(3) The rate of rupee one per mensem for hire of meter specified in sub-clause (*a*) of clause (2) of the said annexure shall be altered to annas eight per mensem for single and three-phase service meters.

By order of the Governor of Bombay,

C. E. AITKEN,
Secretary to Government.

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R.L.A's Office.

The view taken by the Electrical Engineer to Government in his letter at p.5 ante that the method of charge referred to in Section 23(3)(c) of the Indian Electricity Act, 1910, cannot exceed (i.e. increase) the maxima rates laid down in the license, appears to be correct. Section 23(3) relates only to the methods of charging and does not in any way control or modify the terms as to the limits of price to be charged in respect of the supply of energy prescribed in the license under section 3(2) (d). Such limits laid down in the license are also not modified by any conditions sanctioned under section 21(2) which provides that these conditions should not be inconsistent with the Act, or with the license etc. (Cf. Advocate General's opinion No.31, dated 13th August 1940, accompanying R.L.A.'s U.R. to P.W.D., No.7441, dated the 19th August 1940). The concluding portion of paragraph 3 of the P.W.D. circular letter No.9872/27-M, dated the 19th May 1936, cannot be construed to permit charging of rates in excess of the limits of price prescribed in the license. The last sentence in that letter must be construed as follows:- The rates to be charged should in no case exceed the maxima sanctioned in the license or permit granted to the supply company or the rates which may have already been sanctioned in the conditions of supply, whichever of these two may be lower. The conditions in question cannot indirectly amend the license by increasing the maxima rates specified in the license.

Sd/- .....

Remembrancer of Legal Affairs.

U.R. to P.W.D., No.2008, dated the 6th March 1942.

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R.L.A's Office.

The view taken by the Electrical Engineer to Government in his letter at p.5 ante that the method of charge referred to in Section 23(3)(c) of the Indian Electricity Act, 1910, cannot exceed (i.e. increase) the maxima rates laid down in the license, appears to be correct. Section 23(3) relates only to the methods of charging and does not in any way control or modify the terms as to the limits of price to be charged in respect of the supply of energy prescribed in the license under section 3(2) (d). Such limits laid down in the license are also not modified by any conditions sanctioned under section 21(2) which provides that these conditions should not be inconsistent with the Act, or with the license etc. (Cf. Advocate General's opinion No.31, dated 13th August 1940, accompanying R.L.A.'s U.R. to P.W.D., No.7441, dated the 19th August 1940). The concluding portion of paragraph 3 of the P.W.D. circular letter No.9872/27-M, dated the 19th May 1936, cannot be construed to permit charging of rates in excess of the limits of price prescribed in the license. The last sentence in that letter must be construed as follows:- The rates to be charged should in no case exceed the maxima sanctioned in the license or permit granted to the supply company or the rates which may have already been sanctioned in the conditions of supply, whichever of these two may be lower. The conditions in question cannot indirectly amend the license by increasing the maxima rates specified in the license.

Sd/- .....

Remembrancer of Legal Affairs.

U.R. to P.W.D., No.2008, dated the 6th March 1942.

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M.B. P.W.D.

Submitted.

2. The following two questions have been dealt with in these papers concerning the Hubli Electric Licence, 1924.

(a). Revision of the maximum charges as provided in the Licence and

(b). Revision of the conditions as to Misc charges for the supply of energy sanctioned by Govt in G.R. No 9282, dated the 21st Febr 1928.

3. Reg (a):— The maximum charges have since been altered as recommended by the Advisory Board with effect from the 1st June 1942 - vide G.R. No 5596/36 dated the 27-4-42 and the notification appended thereto. No action is therefore necessary on this point in these papers.

3. Reg (b):— Pl see remarks of the El. Engr to Govt in paras 3 & 4 of his memo dt 15-16 ante. The El. Engr to Govt observes that the question of misc charges has been under correspondence with the Supply Co for the last two years and that the Co is not inclined to revise the misc charges so as to bring them in line with those allowed in the model form. The point for consideration is whether Govt could

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operate the provisions of section 21(3) of the G.E. Act and amend or vary the conditions of subsidy and music charges sanctioned previously by Govt in G.R. no 9282 (I), dated the 21st Febr 1928. It seems this cannot be done. The R.A.G's opinion may however be obtained as suggested by the E.P. supra to Govt. The opinion of the R.E.A. referred to in para 3 of the O.M. on p 16-17 ante has no bearing on the point at issue above.

4. If the provisions of section 21(3) cannot be operated, the R.E.A. may be requested to advise what course should be adopted to make the Govt comply with the revision of conditions & music charges as reqd by Govt.

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U.O. to R.E.A., d. 18-11-42

+ Govt. No.
File 9282
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Govt copy sent to R.E.A. with file

× with file 9826/26
+ 9282 & 1926-28
+ 2 original copies of Conditions & Music C.

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Office of the R.L.A.

Sub-section (3) of section 21 of the Indian Electricity Act, 1910 empowers Government to cancel any condition or part of a condition sanctioned under sub-section (2). Power to cancel any condition or part of a condition does not include power to modify or amend any such condition. It would not therefore be competent for Government to reduce the miscellaneous charges levied by the Hubli Electric Company with the previous sanction of Government under sub-section (2). The view taken by the P.W.D. at p. 28 ante is correct. Perhaps a threat to cancel would induce the Company to modify.

Remembrancer of Legal Affairs.

U.R.to P.W.D.,No. 10172 dated the 22nd December 1942.

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M.B. P.W.D.

Submitted with reference to the W/no 7-12 O.M. dated the 17-11-42.

2. The R.E.'s opinion overleaf may be shown M.O. to the Architect to Govt and he may be requested to submit a statement showing the exact modifications desired in the existing conditions and also the charges so that the matter may be addressed in the matter with a threat as suggested by the R.E.A.

6/11/43

M.O. Asstt. Engr. Worli, dt. 9-1-43
(with files 9282/42, 9872/42)

ELECTRICAL ENGINEER
TO GOVERNMENT
Inwd. No. 8627
13 MAR 1943
File No. dcmll
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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT
File No 202/36
22. DEC. 1942
Serial No. 29514

Below U.O.R.No.202/36/29514 dated the 7th January 1943, from Government in the Public Works Department.

No. LRM:11/ 5330 of 1943.

Bombay, 13th March 1943.

Returned, with compliments.

2. It is suggested that this matter may be held over until the question about the revocation of the Hubli Electric License, which is under consideration, is decided.

Electrical Engineer to Govt.

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(Mr B.) Submitted with regret to Govt
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2. As suggested by the Hl. Engr.
to Govt. further consideration of the
question of securing reduction
in miscellaneous charges (e.g.
connection fee, charges for supply
of energy for temp. period etc.)
may be held over until the
question about the revocation
of the Shahli Hl. License is decided.
The papers on the subject are with
the Hl.

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Resubmitted.

2 The Hubli Electric Licence, 1924, has since been revoked with effect from the 1st. May, 1944. These papers may, therefore, be recorded after c.o.r. to the El. Engr. to Govt.

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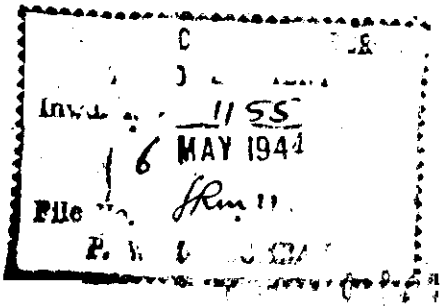

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5th May 1944.

× with the printed copy of conditions and misc. charges for the supply of energy.

Returned, with compliments.

2. The papers may be recorded, as proposed.

Electrical Engineer to Govt.

U.O.R.to Govt.in the P.W.D.

No.LRM.11/ **583** dated 6th May 1944.

El. Br.

P. W. Deptt.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT
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The Hubli Electricity Company, Limited.

MANAGING AGENTS :
MESSRS. AMTE & Co.
HUBLI. (DHARWAR)

TEL. ADDRESS
"LECTRICITY HUBLI"

POST BOX NO. 23,

Ref. B/13.

Hubli, 19th May 194 1.

The Deputy Secretary to the Government,
Public Works Department,
Bombay.

Sir,

We beg to submit that of late the despatches of Diesel Fuel Oil by our Bombay suppliers, Messrs.Standard Vacuum Oil Co., is getting uncertain on account of Railway Tank Wagons not becoming available in the regular course at determined intervals. We are advised by them that the Goods booking for Hubli is restricted, evidently due to the tank wagons being constantly requisistioned by the Government for taking supplies of oil for war emergency.

As a result of such uncertainty and delay in the despatch and receipt of oil, it has not been possible for us to maintain the normal stocks in our storage tanks. We are getting afraid whether the supplies that we might be receiving at such long intervals would enable us to run our plant even for lighting load during nights.

In view of the above abnormal situation, we have to request you to kindly permit us to restrict the hours of our electric supply dependent upon the stocks of diesel oil that shall be at our disposal from time to time till normal supplies of oil are restored. We would propose that under such emergent conditions, we should be permitted to give supply of energy for lighting between 6 p.m. and 1 a.m. every day, to the exclusion of all supply during the other hours though we would try our very best to maintain the supply for such period as may be possible during the latter period also.

We

THE HUBLI ELECTRICITY CO. LTD. REF. L/5. SHEET NO. 1 DATE 19th May 1941.

To, The Deputy Secretary to the Government,
Public Works Department,
Bombay.

We fully trust that our submission will meet with your favourable consideration and that requisite permission will be granted to us at an early date.

Yours faithfully,

for The Hubli Electricity Co.Ltd.,

Managing Agents.

Submitted.

2. The main file is under cor. to the El. Engr. to Govt. who has separately reported that he is in correspondence with the Supply Co. Their references may be referred to in continuation for his remarks & with a request to return the main file along with them.

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ELECTRICAL ENGINEER
TO GOVERNMENT
Inwd. No. 1143
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U.O. to El. Engr. to Govt. d. 27-5-41

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Below U.O.R. No.202/36/9897 dated 27th May 1941 from Government in the Public Works Department.

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No. ૭૩૬/II/ 736 of 1941.

Bombay, 2nd June 1941.

Returned with compliments.

2. The main file regarding the revised conditions of supply and miscellaneous charges is still under correspondence with the Supply Company and will be returned as soon as possible.

3. The Supply Company is at present giving continous supply and if their present proposal to curtail the hours of supply is accepted the consumers will be affected. The Electric Inspector, Bombay, has been requested to ascertain the present load conditions at Hubli and a further report will be made as soon as the information is received from him. In the meantime the Commissioner, Southern Division, may be requested to offer his remarks on the Supply Company's proposal.

Electrical Engineer to Govt.

R.

Submitted.

2. A further report from the El. Engr-to Govt may be awaited. In the meantime the Comm. SDs remarks may be obtained as suggested by the El. Engr-to Govt

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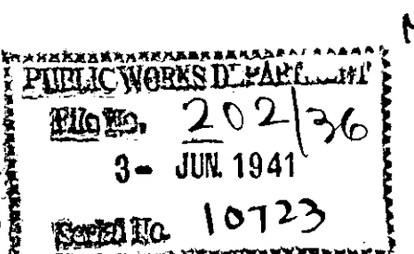

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Below copy of letter from the Hubli Electricity Co-Ltd. No. B/13 dated the 19-5-41 Pol-3

No 202/36 M

Bo 6th June 1941

Copy forwarded with compliments to the Comm. S.D. for favour of remarks. Pol-3

By order of the G.O.C.

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The Comm. S.D. has been expedited under no 202/36-M-1 dated the 23rd August 1941.

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Subject:Supply of Energy -by the Hubli Electricity Co. Hubli.

No.P.O.L.S.R.652

Office of the Collector,

Dharwar,1st September 1941.

From

A.L.Dias,Esquire,I.C.S.,

Collector of Dharwar.

To

The Commissioner,

Southern Division,Belgaum.

Sir,

With reference to your endorsement No.M.S.C.84 dated 10/6/1941,I have the honour to state as under:-

2. The Hubli Electric Company asking for permission to supply energy for a lesser number of hours as the supply of Diesel Oil is not received from Bombay at regular intervals. It appears that inspite of the orders placed by the Electric Company for Diesel Oil from time to time,the Standard Vacuum Oil Company of Bombay has not been able to despatch the required quantity for want of transport facilities. Hubli being a commercial and trade centre,the request of the applicant to allow him to supply energy from 6 P.M to 1 A.M only cannot be granted without inconvenience to the normal business of the town. The only alternative appears to me to make arrangements for the transport of sufficient quantity of Diesel oil from Bombay to Hubli at regular intervals. The Railway authorities in Bombay may be requested to see what they can do in this connection.

I have the honour to be
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Collector of Dharwar.

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Below Collector of Dharwar's letter P.C.L.S.R.652 dated 1st September 1941.

No. M.S.C.-84.

Office of the Commissioner S.D.

Belgaum, 12th September 1941.

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2. Since the Collector states that the request of the Managing Agents cannot be complied with without inconvenience to the public the Commissioner recommends that it should be rejected unless the closing down from 1 A.M. to 6 P.M. will result in a substantial saving of oil (on which the Electrical Engineer may be consulted). Otherwise the Company may simply be asked to renew its request if it finds itself really unable to obtain oil. At present it merely apprehends such difficulty and the Commissioner has recently been informed by a local representative of the M.S.M.Railway that the waggon difficulty is being overcome by better arrangements.

Public Works Department.

Commissioner S.D.

H.

Submitted

2. The Commrs. S.D.'s report may be shown us. to the El. Engr. to Govt. for favour of remarks if any.

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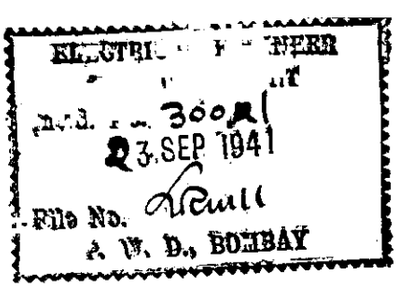
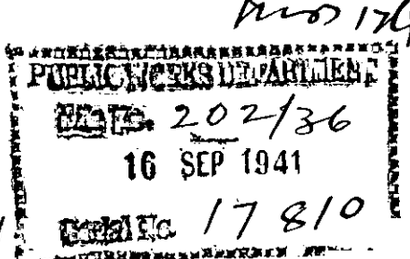
U.O. No. El. Engr. to Govt. Dt 20-9-41





Below U.O.R.No.202/36/17810 dated the 20th September 1941, from Government in the Public Works Department.

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No. 1918 of 1941.

Bombay, 23rd September 1941.

Returned, with compliments.

2. I agree with the Commissioner, Southern Division, and suggest that the Company's request for curtailing the hours of supply may not be granted, as it has been found that the load between the hours of 1 A.M. and 6 P.M. is more than 30 K.W.

Electrical Engineer to Govt.

(Ans.) Submitted with reference to Govt
M.O.R. dy 1te 20-9-41.

2. The Sl. Engr to Govt agrees with
the Comm. S.D. that the Supply
Company's request may not
be granted. Govt may agree
with the above offices. The
accompanying draft may issue.

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No.202/36-M.

P.W.D.,B.C., 6th Octr.1941.

To

The Hubli Electricity Co.Ltd.,
(Appl. No. 023,) H U B L I.

Subject:- The Hubli El.License.
Hours of supply -

Dear Sirs,

With ref.to your letter No.B/13, dated the 19th May 1941, I am directed to state that your request to allow you to give supply of energy between 6 P.M. and 1 A.M. only, every day, cannot be granted.

Yours faithfully,

D.A,- Nil.

Copy forwarded to -

the Commr., S.D., (with ref.to his memo.No.M.S.C.84,dated the 12-9-41),

the Collr.of Dharwar (with ref.to his letter No.P.O.L. S.R.652, dated the 1-9-41 to the Commr., S.D.).

the El.Engr.to Govt.(with ref.to his memo.No.L.R.M.11/1918,dated the 23-9-41).

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